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FIRE AT ULSTER

Barn and $3,000 Worth of Choice Hay Consumed by the Flames

LEHIGH DEPOT ALSO DAMAGED

Spark From Locomotive Set Hay Barn on Fire—Hard Work to Save Nearby Buildings—Towanda Firemen With Franklin Engine Give Aid.

Ulster vilage for a time Friday afternoon was thereatened with total destruction by fire. Flames originating in a spark from a locomotive shortly before 3 o'clock destroyed the large barn near the Lehigh depot, together with its contents, a hay press, engine and other machinery, and 110 tons of choice hay. The barn and machinery were owned by the First National bank of Towanda, and were valued at $1500, with a small insurance. The hay valued at $3,000 was owned by Sherman & VanDuzer. The Lehigh depot was badly damaged by the flames. The total loss will exceed $5,000.

Origin of the Fire.

The fire had its origin in a spark from a locomotive which was on the switch taking out a car of hay. Before the engine could move three car lengths, the barn was a mass of flames, and was soon in ruins. A strong wind was blowing from the north which fortunately carried the flames away from several nearby buildings, and prevented a more serious conflagration.

The Lehigh depot, the nearest building to the burning barn, took fire, railroad property was removed from the depot, and for a time the building seemed doomed to destruction.

Heroic Work of Fremen.

The Ulster volunteer fire department, with their chemical engine and hook and ladder truck did heroic work fighting the flames and preventing the loss of thousands of dollars worth of property. The hay barn was doomed from the first, but the nearby buildings furnished work enough for the firemen. The coal office, sheds and cattle yard also owned by Sherman & VanDuzer were on fire a dozen times, but the quick work of the Ulster firemen soon extinguished the flames.

Ayer's mill was in danger, and water had to be used constantly to keep the flames from devouring this building. A locomotive from Sayre did good work with water from the tank.

Towanda Firemen Give Aid.

At 4:30 the Ulster firemen had succeeded in getting the flames under control, but the smouldering hay ever being fanned into flames by the high wind was a constant menace, and Towanda was appealed to for help. About 30 members of the local fire department loaded the Franklin steamer on a flat car which was hauled to Ulster by the Towanda switch engine. The steamer was placed in the river near the bridge and soon a big stream of water was playing on the smouldering ruins of the hay barn. The Towanda firemen returned home about 9 o'clock, the fire having been completely extinguished.

A number of the Ulster firemen were quite badly burned while fighting the flames.

Pamphlet Laws Issued.

Advance copies of the pamphlet laws of Pennsylvania for 1907 have just been issued by the secretary of the commonwealth. The volume prepared under the supervision of George D. Thorn, chief clerk of the department of state, contains an innovation in that the appropriation acts are separately indexed. They are arranged alphabetically according to institutions and localities. This departure from the former method of placing all acts in the same index is expected to meet with approval.

Child's Narrow Escape.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cole, of Galeton, was nearly strangled to death last week when he fell off the porch and became entangled in a piece of clothes-line, a loop of which caught around his neck. When his mother discovered his plight and released him, the child's face had turned black. It was a narrow escape, indeed.

Tunkhannock Man's Death.

Robert C. Cook died at Tunkhannock on Thursday night. Deceased had been in feeble health for several years past. He went to Tunkhannock from Meshoppen a number of years ago and established a furniture and undertaking business on South Warren street, where he continued to do business until stricken by paralysis, which disease ultimately caused his death. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Chas. L. Space. The funeral was held on Sunday at 2 o'clock.

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FIREMEN AT GALETON

Business Meeting Held Thursday and Annual Parade Yesterday

NEXT MEETING IN WELLSBORO

Two New York State Counties May Be Admitted to Membership in the Association to Take Place of Susquehanna and Wyoming Counties.

The business meeting of the Five County Volunteer Firemen's association was held at Galeton on Thursday, President E. G. Humphrey, presiding. The following were elected officers: President, Judge Hollands, Blossburg; first vice-president, R. J. Davis, Galeton; second vice-president, Walter Vosburg, Coudersport; treasurer, C. P. Welles, Towanda; secretary, P. E. Decker, Athens.

The meeting in 1908 will be held at Wellsboro. The only other matter of importance considered was a motion to admit the fire companies in the counties of Alleghany and Steuben, N. Y., as members of the association and dropping Susquehanna and Wyoming.

The association at present is made up of five counties of Tioga, Potter, Bradford, Susquehanna and Wyoming Owing to the distance separating the eastern and western counties and the reluctance of railroads to grant satisfactory excursion rates to firemen attendeing the conventions, Wyoming and Susquehanna have seldom been well represented at the yearly meetings. As a consequence, a movement was started to cut off the two counties from the organization and to include the counties of Alleghany and Steuben in New York, making a closer and more compact association. Dr. T. Ben Johnson, Jr., delegate from the Lin-ta Hose company of Towanda, was sponsor for the movement, which caused a mild sensation in the meeting. He presented an amendment for the consideration of the association making provisions for the reorganization, and it was only after considerable debate that it was agreed to leave the matter to a committee to confer with representatives from the New York counties, with power to act.

The annual banquet was held at Hotel Imperial, Galeton, and was much enjoyed by the visitors and firemen present. Among the guests were Frank M. Baker, Esq., ex-railroad commissioner of the state of New York, who has been a very prominent fireman all his life, also Hon. George Williams, former president of the association and now state senator from Tioga and Potter counties.

The grand parade took place Friday, there being about 35 companies and ten bands in line.

The Galeton committee and people did everything in their power for the comfort and entertainment of their guests and made it one of the best meetings held by the association of which there have been twelve.

WANT FRANCHISE.

Trolley Company Would Connect Lake Winola and Tunkhannock.

George Beemer of the Hillside Home, who is interested in the proposed trolley line from Clarks Summit to Lake Winola, was in Tunkhannock last Saturday to meet by appointment the supervisors of Tunkhannock township, says the Republican and New Age. He wants for his road the right of way between Lake Winola and Tunkhannock. As he did not state definitely which direction he expects to bring his line the franchise was not given, although the supervisors assured him that they would be glad to encourage the building of an electric road to that place.

This company is not identified with the Northern Electric company that is operating the road from Dalton to Scranton, and which has intimated that it will extend its line to Tunkhannock. A road to Scranton via Lake Winola and Clarks Summit would suit Tunkhannock people much better than none, but it would be little or no accommodation for Factoryville people who are obliged to come to the county seat to transact all their legal business, attend court, etc.

Shooting Affray at Laquin.

Laquin had a little shooting affray Sunday, but fortunately no one was injured. Constable Hollon went to the lumber town Monday afternoon armed with a warrant sworn to by Fred Coffee charging John Carefelley, an Italian, with taking two shots with a pistol at him. Carefelley made good his escape after firing the shots. Particulars of what prompted the shooting could not be learned from the Italians.

Taken to Danville.

Commissioners Harkness and Marsh went yesterday to Danville with Fred Morley of Wysox township, and Arthur Strope of Ulster, where they will receive treatment at the State hospital.

Small advs. pay.

NINE PEOPLE DROWN

"Frontenac", An Excursion Boat, Destroyed by Fire Saturday.

BURNED TO THE WATER EDGE.

Large Party of Excursionists Were On Board the Vessel, and Nine of Them Are Known to Have Perished —Many Injured.

The steamer "Frontenac," of the Cayuga lake line of steamers, was burned to the water's edge late Saturday afternoon between Union Springs and Fariey's. Nine people were drowned during the destruction of the boat. The steamer was Southbound, leaving Cayuga with a large number of excursionists on board.

The origin of the fire is not known and may never be known.

Seven people are known to have lost their lives, and there are two bodies which have not been identified, making nine dead. There may be more, when the investigation of the ruins of the boat has been completed.

A number of the passengers were seriously burned and injured.

The boat was a large wooden one and was prepared well for the lake excursion traffic. She was one of three vessels constituting the Cayuga lake line of steamers. The regular service is between Cayuga and Cayuga lake park and Renwick pier in Ithaca, there being two boats steaming each way daily. The "Mohawk" and "Iroquois" were engaged on the regular runs Saturday, while the "Frontenac" was engaged for a large excursion party.

The steamer was in the middle of the lake when the fire broke out on the upper deck. The vessel ran ashore rapidly and was beached in six feet of water in Dill's Cove. The Lehigh Railway company rushed a special train to the scene with supplies and Auburn people and physicians hurried to aid the injured. The wind blew a gale and passengers refused to take to the waves for fear of drowning, although furnished with boats and life preservers. The gale soon put the fire through the steamer.

The "Frontenac" has been plying the waters of Cayuga lake for about 80 years, and every one that has ever visited Renwick park has seen the boat, and may have enjoyed a ride on its decks.

LEHIGH ENGINEER BURIED BENEATH WRECKAGE.

Trains Crash in Sayre Yards Sunday Morning With Disastrous Results.

One of the most disastrous freight wrecks on the Lehigh in a long time, occurred near the ice cream factory in Athens at 3:30 Sunday morning.

A fast freight train pulled by one of the big new engines which was making its first trip between Coxton and Sayre, crashed into a freight standing in the lower Sayre yards. Orrin Hudson of Sayre, was running the engine which crashed into the train, and he was buried beneath the wreckage. It required two hours hard work on the part aof the wreck crew to release him from his awful position. Both of his feet were badly crushed and he was otherwise injured. He was removed to the Packer hospital where he is being treated. His escape from instant death was a miracle. The fireman escaped injury by jumping.

Several cars were demolished and the big new engine was badly damaged. The loss will amount to thousands of dollars.

SAVED BROTHER'S LIFE.

Little Girl Sucks Poison From Wound Caused by Snake Bite.

While out gathering huckleberries, near the Erie tracks, Tuesday afternoon, Joseph Phillips, the son of Michael Phillips of South Scranton, was badly bitten by a rattlesnake.

As soon as he could be carried to a place of safety, by his companions, his little sister, who was with him, kneeled down and sucked the poison from the wound thereby saving the life of her brother, but placing her own in danger.

Dr. J. J. Walsh was called to attend the boy, as soon as he could be taken to his home, and found the leg badly swollen from the knee down. While the wound was pronounced to be a one, it was thought that the danger was past. The little fellow undoubtedly owes the preservation of his life to the courage and quick thought of his sister.

Doctors Raise Fees.

Doctors of Wiliamsport have combined on a new schedule of service prices, which are advanced from 50 to 100 per cent., and the railroad men and steel workers in the western end of the city have combined in a boycott. They have raised a fund with which to bring in two out-of-town doctors and pay them by the month.

JOHNSON BURIED

Body Rest In a Grave Beside That of Executed Brother.

MOTHER VIEWED THE REMAINS

Funeral Held at Four O'clock Thursday Afternoon, Consisted of Brief Services at Cemetery—Condemned Man Remembered Friends.

The body of Charles Johnson, who was executed in the Bradford county jail yard in Towanda Thursday morning, was buried at four o'clock yesterday afternoon. Murphy & Campbell, undertakers, took the remains from the jail yard to riverside cemetery, and interment was made in a grave beside the one in which lies the remains of Bigler Johnson. The services at the grave were very simple, Dr. O. A. Houghton reading the burial committment.

Sophia Merritt, mother of the Johnson brothers, attended the funeral. The casket was opened by Sheriff Griffin and she and many others viewed the remains. There were no unusual scenes at the grave. The mother stroked the face of her dead son and wept softly.

Remembered His Friends.

Charles Johnson remembered his friends in his last hour. Just before he was executed he made a request that a bible and prayer book be given to two of his fellow prisoners. A quantity of fruits and dainties he also left to them.

He gave Captain Mars the names of three parties to whom he owed fifty cents each, and asked the Captain that he go see them, and tell them that he had no money and could not pay the amounts, for which he was very sorry.

Sorry He Made Statement.

When urged to make a confession, to confess his sins, Johnson said Wednesday night that he had but one sin to answer for and that was the lie he told when he made the statement that he burned the house after Mag and Annie had been murdered. Nothing could be said to shake the innocence plea of the condemned man.

Unusual Belief of His Mother.

While at the jail Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Merritt, mother of the executed man, stated that "she heard that Charley was 13 minutes dying, and if he had lived just two minutes longer, they would have had to cut him down and let him go." This was the belief of the woman until told that the law said that Charley must hang by the neck until he was dead.

Had Love Affair.

That Charley Johnson had a love affair while confined in jail is a fact which has not heretofore been made public. For several months during his incarceration, there was a woman prisoner with whom he was very friendly, and she took a great interest in him. Their attachment was more than mere friendship, they were lovers, all though they were never in one another's company only to talk across the hall and through the cell doors. She visited him in the jail on Wednesday her time having expired some time ago, and Thursday morning was in the crowd that stood in front of the jail on Pine street. She heard the drop fall and knew her lover was gone from her forever, and tears trickled down her cheaks, as she stood there waiting for news from within the jail yard.

Gallows Shipped Back.

The gallows on which Johnson was executed, were taken down during the afternoon and placed in a freight car to be shipped back to Luzerne county.

HOLD-UP AT GALETON.

An Aged Man Attacked and Desperately Beaten.

Galeton people are becoming aroused over the fact that several bad Italians there are following the pursuit of desperadoes. It is a common occurrence for men to be held up—usually Italians—who, if they refuse to hand over their money are beaten.

A few evenings ago an aged man of that place was attacked by the desperadoes and was beaten nearly to insensibility and robbed. His face was covered with cuts and bruises.

Williamsport Commercial College.

If you are going to take bookkeeping and shorthand, your success will depend a great deal upon the school you attend. The Williamsport Commercial college is the largest and best known school in Central Pennsylvania. Students from 13 different schools came to us to finish courses last year. Over 200 calls were received last year for office help. Sixty-five writing lessons by mail $2.50. Catalogue and trial lessons free. Students enter at any time. Fall term begins Sept. 3. Send us the names of the young people of your place and we will send you a pack of calling cards. Write F. F. Healey, proprietor.

AN OLD HOME WEEK

County Historical Society Took Action on the Matter Saturday

TO BE HELD IN JUNE, 1908.

Committee Appointed to Confer With Towanda Business Men's Association Relative to a Gathering of the Absent Ones.

In all probabilities Towanda will have an old home week in 1908, a gathering of the absent sons and daughters of Bradford county. The matter was taken up by the Bradford County Historical society on Saturday, and C. F. Heverly, G. T. Ingham, and D. J. Sweet were appointed a committee of three to act with President A. T. Lilley and Secretary Andrew Wilt in conferring with the Towanda Business Men's association as to what assistance the association would give in working the idea up and making it a success.

It is proposed to have the celebration and homecoming of the absent ones the last week in June of next year. The "Old Peoples' Meeting" which has become to be such an important event will be a feature of the celebration, and a day will be set aside with especial program for each section of the county.

Sons and daughters of Bradford county, scattered broadcast throughout this great union, will all be invited to visit once more the old home county, and grasp again the hands that clasp theirs the day they bade adieu. "Welcome" in capital letters will be written over every door and across every heart of those who still call the county home, sweet home, and they will joyously greet the boys and girls who have grown to be men and women as they come back once more to visit the native hearthstone.

By the co-operation of the Business Mens' association and the Historical society, the affair must be a success. It will require much hard, earnest work and considerable money, but Towanda alone can supply these needs.

Business Meeting.

Outside the "Old Home Week" discussion only routine business was transacted by the Historical society. C.F. Heverly announced the presentation to the society of three curios, relics of olden times in the county. One was an old fashioned tuning fork, or whistle used 100 years ago by Alonzo A. Bishop of Wysox, who was a singing master in those days. The fork was presented to the society by E. R. Bishop, a son of the maker and user of the instrument. A candle snuffer and wall hook were donated by Lyman C. Meracle of Rome, and two hatchels owned and used by Jacob Decker, a revolutionary war soldier were donated by a grandson, Jacob Decker. These relics of times that are no more were accepted by the society and a vote of thanks tendered the donors.

The August meeting of the society will be a "Smithfield day," with a special program given by Smithfield people.

VACCINATION RULES CHANGED.

State Officials Adopt New Regulations for Contagious Diseases.

The Advisory board of the State Health department has adopted rules requiring the reporting of every case of communicable disease to the department officers, and that persons having had three unsuccessful attempts at vaccination may be admitted to school, thus laying down two important lines of policy for immediate use.

Becomes An Immune.

The action of the vaccination was to the effect that a person who has had vaccination performed three times at intervals of two successive weeks, immune from smallpox, and "that without success, is for the time being under the present law persons who have a written certificate from a registered physician that two such attempts to vaccinate were faithfully performed, and a second certificate from a physician of the State department of health, or of a board or bureau of health or sanitary committee of a city or borough, may be admitted to school for one year without violating the spirit of the law, the object of which is simply to prevent the spread of smallpox."

Physicians Must Report.

The report system requires physicians in rural districts to report every case of disease to the township health officer, who is to arrange quarantine. There are 700 such officers. The reports of rural cases have hitherto been made to the department's medical inspectors in each county. The new arrangement, which will go into effect as soon as the 10,000 physicians of the state can be notified, will result in great saving of time in the inauguration of proper control over every case of communicable disease.

WAVERLY WORN OUT

No More Will Wedding Bells Ring for Lovelorn Pennsylvanians.

NEW LICENSE LAW IN EFFECT.

Bride-to-Be Must Be a Resident of Place Where the License is Issued By the Town Clerk—Deadener on the Matrimonial Business.

Carry the news to every town, village, hamlet, township and section of Bradford county, and to all parts of Pennsylvania, Waverly, N. Y., is worn out, matrimonially meaning. No more will the wedding bells ring for lovelorn Pennsylvania couples, no more can spoony Towanda and Bradford county youths and maidens hike over the line into New York state and pledge their vows without any questions being asked, for Waverly, as a mecca for marriages is no more—the new license law is in effect, and Dan Cupid, that little God of love, is up against the real thing for sure.

The new marriage license law recently approved by Governor Hughes, will cause a material difference with the number of marriages in Waverly, which has been a lovers' mecca where many wended their footseps when they wished to be made man and wife without the formality of securing a license. Now all will be different. In the past it has not been necessary to procure a license, but in the future before a minister or justice of the peace can perform a ceremony he must have a license procured of the Town Clerk and no license can be secured except in the town where the bride resides.

Not only will it cause a falling off of marriages, but it will mean a large financial loss to the persons in Waverly who have performed these ceremonies. Last year out of 252 marriages performed in Waverly, 204 of the brides resided in Pennsylvania

Working the "Cat Racket."

The commissioners of Luzerne county are puzzled to account for the prevalence of wildcats in the vicinity of Harvey's Lake. A few days ago a man from that neighborhood walked into the commissioner's office with affidavits setting forth that he slaughtered 15 wildcats. As the wildcat bounty is $4 each his demand was for $60. For one man to kill 15 wildcats since the law took effect caused no little wonderment among the clerks. Upon a close examination of 12 of the affidavits it was discovered that they did not aver the killing of "wildcats," but rather "white cats." When questioned the fellow could give no explanation except that he killed 15 cats and ought to be paid for them. As three of the affidavits were in the strict compliance with the act payment was made for that many wildcats and the man left with $12 in his pocket.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

J. K. SMITH HAS AN ACCIDENT.

Florence Kingsland, the Little Girl Injured by Mowing Machine, Near Nichols, Is on the Road to Recovery.

H. Stanley Harding of Tunkhannock, has been chosen Republican county chairman of Wyoming county.

Preaching services at Luthers Mills M. E. church next Sunday at 2:30 p. m., by Rev. W. S. H. Loller of Monroeton.

Mrs. Milton Sunnerson and Mrs. Burton Crane and children of Leedy, Pa., are spending some time at South Branch with their sister, Mrs. Matilda Dibble.

Invitations have been issued to a select dance to be given in Meredith's hall at Monoreton, on Thursday evening, Aug. 1. Clancy's orchestra of Towanda, will furnish music.

The people at Harvey's Lake are complaining about the high speed of autos on the new state road there, which is quite narrow. Several accidents were narrowly avoided last week.

Little Florence Kingsland of Nichols, who was injured by a mowing machine some weeks ago, has almost recovered from her terrible cuts. She went home from the Packer hospital on Tuesday.

J. K. Smith of Monroeton, fell out out of a wagon Friday morning and fractured his shoulder. He was treated by Dr. Rockwell who advised his being taken to the Packer hospital. The hospital doctors pronounced the injury a serious one.

The automobile of Robert Sturdevant of Wilkes-Barre, which ran into Harvey's Lake on Friday night, and the occupants of which had a ducking in the water, is not much damaged and will be repaired so as to make its use possible in a day or two.

Up in Wayne county they are thinking of substituting chop sticks for forks at the table. While a woman was eating meat lightning came running along the table and passed through the fork into her body and sent her sprawling on the floor. At another place a man eating pie had a similar experience.—Milford Dispatch.

Andrew Cotton, for the past eight years connected with the Athens News, as Sayre correspondent, has resigned his position and will go East where he has a position of sporting writer and police court reporter. Mr. Cotton is one of the best known and popular young men in the upper valley, and as a newspaper man has made an enviable reputation for himself.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM COUNTY TOWNS

EAST SMITHFIELD.

Miss Elizabeth Perry of Brooklyn, recently visited the family of her brother. She was enroute for Stouffville, Canada, to visit her parents.

Miss Carrie Helen Phillips of Elmira, is visiting at Henry Clark's.

Rev. Wyman preached for the Methodist congregation last Sunday. His wife will preach there next Sunday.

Walyand Andrews left for North Dakota last week. Mrs. Andrews went in company with Charles Forrest, of South Dakota, who has been visiting here. Mr. Andrews will visit there with his children who live in North Dakota, and return with his wife who went there in June.

Mrs. Helper of Pittston, has been visiting Mrs. Will Farnsworth.

Mrs. Nellie Smith and her sister, Miss Lena Nichols, left for their home at Lone Pines, Neb., last week.

Bert Sumner spent Sunday at his home.

George Bird went to Utica last Sunday to join his wife and daughter, who are visiting his brother's family.

Mrs. S. Brigham spent last week with her son, Clarence Brigham, of Athens township. Miss Agnes Brigham accompanied her home.

Edwin Blakeslee is driving the R. F. D. No. 53 route for a few weeks.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Ethel Hamilton of Burlington, is visiting Ethel Brown.

Mrs. E. L. Haight of Athens, visited friends here last week.

The funeral of Albert Allen was held at the church on Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, with interment in the Mountain Lake cemetery.

Emily Allen and Ellen Bailey are visiting their uncle, Frank Pepper, at Maple Lane.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ayers, July 19, a daughter, and to Mr. and Mrs Tarr, July 21, a daughter. They recently moved on the Charles Allen farm.

Elsie Allen returned home on Saturday from an extended visit to her son, Martin Allen, at Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waters of Athens, visited at J. W. Nichols' on Sunday.

BAILEY CORNERS.

Mrs. Emily Randall of Wilmot, who has been visiting her children and other friends in this place, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bailey and Mrs. Snyder and daughter of Troy, spent Saturday night and Sunday with the former's parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Putnam and daughter of Canton, were calling at Milton Vannoy's last Sunday.

Mrs. Harriett Rockwell visited at Charley Larcom's one day last week.

Miss Mary Bonney of Lestershire, is visiting at Lollie and Jessie Baxter's.

Mrs. Betsey Braun of Troy, who has been visiting the past week with her niece, Mrs. Lute Bailey, returned to her home last Saturday.

COLD CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chaffee took dinner at Mrs. N. Crawn's last Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society of this place will meet at the home of Mrs. Crawn, Wednesday, Aug. 7. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Ford called on Mr. and Mrs. G. A. White of Stevensville last Sunday evening and all attended St. Matthew's church.

The donkey party held at Mrs. H. V. Rockwell's last Thursday evening was much enjoyed by all present. First prize being won by Mrs. Sarah Cameron, consolation prize by Herman Ford.

A party of young people from Wilkes-Barre are camping out near the fishing rocks for the Summer.

WARRENHAM.

Elizabeth Dewing spent several days last week with friends in Owego.

Mrs. Truman Brainard of New York city, came last week to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beardslee.

Mrs. Jerry Ring called on Frances Dewing Friday.

Andrew Manchester entertained friends from Potterville Sunday.

Rev. B. F. Hammond and family, who are visiting at Little Meadows, called at R. L. Beardslee's Friday.

BLACK CREEK.

Mrs. C. E. Bartlow visited relatives at Powell last Wednesday and Thursday.

Howard Burleigh of Scranton, is spending some time here.

Wesley Kipp of Renwick, was a business man here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Griffis of Sugar Ridge, spent Sunday at C. E. Bartlow's.

Clare Teeter is visiting friends at Evergreen.

SPRINGFIELD.

The ice cream social at Frank Huntley's last Thursday night was largely attended; proceeds $11.35.

Mrs. Fuller visited in Elmira several days last week.

Mrs. Jane Mattocks was called to Canton last Saturday by the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boughton entertained relatives from Blossburg last week.

Alice Crediford visited in Elmira last week.

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HERRICKVILLE.

C. S. Wells who is working at Athens, spent Sunday with his family at this place.

Raymond McPherson of Towanda, is assisting with the haying on his mother's farm at this place.

Floyd Drake of Corning, is spending some time at Mrs. T. H. McPherson's.

Mrs. M. A. Overpeck went on Saturday to Orwell Ridge to meet her little daughter, Miss Sevanah Chaffee, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor, of Warren.

Mrs. A. R. Brown, who has been in poor health for some time, is gradually failing.

Jessie Anderson is slowly convalescent.

The Herrickville Creamery company have just purchased a new Simplex churn and butter worker combined and placed in their factory. They believe in having the best and latest improved machinery and with T. E. Watson, their experienced butter maker, they turn out a grade of goods second to none in the county. The same firm has handled their goods for the past four years and has commanded the highest price.

Mrs. Frank Struple, who has been on the sick list for some time, is no better.

Miss Nellie VanWert of Athens, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. James Carr.

MONROETON.

Leo Rockwel and Miss Louise Rockwell visited friends at Canton over Sunday.

Mrs. John Dunfee has returned home after spending four weeks with her son, B. F. Dunfee at Towanda.

Mrs. Lannie Marcy and children spent a few days last week at Towanda.

Mrs. Wiliam Minard and Mr. and Mrs. John Dunfee attended the marriage of Willard Rice and Miss Helen Rickey at Towanda last Wednesday.

Lew Dunfee of Marsden's Pharmacy at Philadelphia, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunfee.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the M. E. church here next Sunday, commencing with the love feast at 10 a. m. Rev. W. S. H. Loller will occupy the pulpit at North Towanda next Sunday morning and at Luthers Mills at 2:30 p. m., for Rev. H. B. Allen, who had his leg broken a short time ago.

Mrs. H. N. Minier, who has been visiting Mrs. R. B. Drake, went Tuesday to Montrose to spend some time.

Mrs. I. Morgan Weldy and child of Rutherford, N. J., is visiting at the home of her brother, William Benedict.

Capt. and Mrs. G. W. Kilmer spent Monday with their son, Noble Kilmer at Asylum.

FASSETT.

W. H. Seymour of this place and J. H. Crotty of Elmira, spent Sunday with friends at East Smithfield.

Mrs. I. J. Mahaffey went last week to Buffalo, to consult a cancer specialist. Her two sons, Boyd and Dayton of Corning, accompanied her.

Mrs. Mary Jane VenWert is suffering from a paralytic stroke since last week. She went to Elmira for treatment but has returned home.

Charles Robinson, the night operator, is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Kathryn Crotty, a music pupil of Mrs. Irene Cherry Lutz, took part in the recital in Elmira Saturday afternoon.

The N. C. section gang is working on sub-division No. 17 at Gillett, this week.

Yale Thornton of Elmira, is visiting at the home of his uncle, Miles Rouhy.

Mrs. Gustin and friend of Elmira, visited friends here last week.

FRANKLINDALE.

The Salvation Army of Towanda, will hold a meeting at Weston next Sunday afternoon.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bacon died Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Livingstone, a former pastor of the Christian church, has been visiting in this place recently.

Mrs. Burton Brown of Powell, visited Mr. Brown's parents here, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strope and Sherman Isabel of Pail Factory, visited at J. T. Strope's Sunday.

Mrs. John McNeal of Slater Hollow, and Miss Bertha Strope of Monroeton, visited friends and relatives here last week.

A Plymouth Rock hen weighing 8½ pounds was purchased by one of the poultry dealers here last week and shipped to the city market. This is nearly the combined weight of three hens of the smaller varieties.

WINDFALL.

Edna and Roland Porter of Athens, are visiting at M. J. Bowman's.

Arthur Collins of Williamsport, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Collins.

Miss Minnie Shedder has been staying the past week with her aunt, Mrs. D. H. Haflet.

Miss Irene Barnes of Elmira, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Duart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maney are entertaining company from Elmira.

Miss Anna Parmenter is repairing her house and barn.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold a lawn social at the home of Mrs. Gerden Porter, at Cowley, on Thursday evening, Aug. 8. Everybody is invited.

Legal Blanks of all kinds for sale at this office.

NEW ALBANY.

Mrs. Edw. Chilson has been suffering from rheumatism for several weeks.

Frank Campbell and family have returned to Old Forge, after visiting here.

Frank Terry and wife were visiting Canton relatives on Saturday.

Augustus Sterigere and wife of Athens, visited at Ed Caster's, last week.

Miss Gertrude Jones of Towanda, has been the guest of the Misses Grant.

Joseph Greig was down from Sayre over Sunday.

Miss Neva Walters of Pittston, is the guest of Mrs. Lizzie Kenyon.

Mrs. Charles Allen and daughter, Miss Ruie Allen, have returned home from Philadelphia, where the latter has been very ill. She is improving nicely.

Miss Emma Finch, who has been working at Perry, N. Y., is sepnding a fortnight with old friends here.

Miss Grace Newton of Wyoming, is the guest of Miss Grace Corson.

Mrs. Martin Featherson and little daughter of Lestershire, are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. E. E. Streevy.

Miss Gean Waltman has been quite ill for the past few days.

Mrs. E. E. Streevy and son Leland, spent last week with Rickett friends.

Dr. F. P. Layman was up from Towanda on Wednesday.

Mrs. O. J. Molyneux has sold the dental outfit to Dr. Hinman of Monroeton, who will practice here.

L. F. Marcy was a business man in Towanda on Wednesday.

J. E. Terry was a Towanda business man on Friday.

Henry Wells and wife are here from Wilkes-Barre.

TERRYTOWN.

D. A. Crandall and daughter, Mrs. Decker, visited friends at Evergreen and New Era last week.

Paul and Mildred Terry of Irwin, N. Y., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Devux.

Mrs. Josephine Terry and Carrie Terry were guests of Mrs. Louisia Terry, at Wyalusing, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Baker of Standing Stone, spent Sunday with frieids here.

James Schoonover and son Harold, of Athens, spent Sunday with his parents.

Last Thursday morning the funeral services and interment of W. H. Bowman of Owego, were held at the church, Rev. Snitcher of Wyalusing, officiated. Mr. Bowman passed the early part of his life in this place. In the afternoon the funeral services and interment of Mrs. Sarah Wheeler of Rummerfield, were held, Rev. Taylor officiating.

Mrs. Frank Franklin and Mrs. W. B. Vought of Moxie, were guests of Mrs. O. S. Cole for dinner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Strong of Brooklyn, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Capwell and Miss Effa Terry and Bickford LeDevux were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Jackson Sunday for dinner.

E. H. Capwell spent last week in Philadelphia.

LEONA

Mrs. David Brooks of Saco, was called to this place last week to care for her daughter, Mrs. Mary Ballard, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Stidd and daughter Ruth, went on Monday last for a few weeks' visit with friends in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Johnson of East Troy, visited on Sunday last at Mark Guthrie's.

Miss Eliza Griffith and little niece spent the past week with friends in Wellsboro.

Mrs. Emma Hooker returned last week from a visit with Elmira friends.

A. W. Owens attended church at Wetona on Sunday last.

Rev. Mr. Stidd has gone to Rochester and Canandaigua, N. Y., for a two weeks' vacation. There will be no preaching services next Sunday morning.

Miss Hase and Miss Luppert, nurses at the Williamsport hospital, visited over Sunday at Will Kennedy's, and spent the day at Mt. Pisga.

RENWICK.

Aaron Bump of South Auburn, is visiting his brother, D. L. Bump.

Rev. Lyke and wife of Evergreen, visited at R. S. Hakes's recently.

Miss Tressie Bennett visited friends in Towanda recently.

Farmers are busy with their haying. Help is very scarce.

Hiram Crandall of Corson Hill, is working in haying for Ida Beeman.

Huckleberry and whortleberry pickers report a poor crop.

SOUTH HILL.

Mrs. G. G. Allis has been entertaining lady friends from Wilkes-Barre the past week.

The auxiliary for Robert Packer hospital, Sayre, will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Sylvester Robinson the first Saturday in August, for dinner. All interested in this great cause please try and be present as the day will be spent in making garments for the hospital.

Roy Robinson is helping Lewis Allis in the creamery during the rush.

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DOTY HILL.

Mrs. Ward Soper was called to Armenia Mountain last week by the death of her father.

Hovey Burt and family and Mrs. Millicent Smith of Wellsburg, called at William Easton's Sunday.

Irene VanBuskirk is visiting at S. N. Doty's.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brown and Mrs. Murry Feathers spent Tuesday in Elmira.

Mrs. Cynthia J. Carnes of Elmira, is spending a few days with Mrs. William Easton.

Mrs. Edith Kimbly and Miss Edna Guile and brothers of Connecticut, are visiting Mrs. Kimbly's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dewey.

Adelbert Andrus was calling at Hermon Wood's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Andrus and little son, Clemens, visited at William Easton's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Utter of Ashland, were callers at Clarence Stevens's Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bird Merriam of Comfort Hill, visited her father, Abner Aber, Sunday.

Merton Dewey of Rochester, is spending his vacation at home helping in the hay field.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown were calling at Tim Birney's Sunday.

Mrs. Murry Feathers and children visited at S. F. Aber's Sunday.

FASSETT.

Dogs killed five sheep for T. S Flood Friday night.

Mrs. I. J. Mahaffey has gone to Buffalo to be treated for cancer.

Mrs. John VanWert, who had a light stroke of paralysis, is but little better.

Mrs. Eliza Parsons and daughter of Connecticut, who are visiting at Andrew Dewey's on Doty Hill, attended church here Sunday.

C. E. Philbrick has sold his horse to Reuben Barnhart.

Mrs. N. Reed spent a copule of days at Dr. Kinsman's last week.

John VanWert and Bert Califf each sold a cow last week.

A very social family gathering was enjoyed at the home of W. H. Sawdy on the South Creek road on Sunday, July 28, the occasion being in honor of Mrs. Fred Chauncey, of Wentzville Mo., Mr. Sawdy's sister. The day was very pleasantly spent with music and singing, and a most bountiful dinner was enjoyed by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. William Balmer, and Fred Sawdy of Gillett, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chauncey and children, William, Evelyn, Teddy and Mary, of Wentzville, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Congdon, Mrs. Harry Sawdy, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sawdy, Miss Minnie Sawdy of Fassett.

POWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Ward and children, Inez and Lucy, spent Sunday and Monday at Laceyville.

Prof. and Mrs. Edward Phillips of Wilkes-Barre, visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitchell Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burleigh and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Jennings at Franklindale over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown at Laquin.

The Silver Medal contest and concert held in the Methodist church last Friday evening was a very enjoyable affair and a financial success, $16.25 being the proceeds. The judges were Miss Alice Irvine and Rev. C. C. Gustin of Liberty Corners, and Capt. G. W. Kilmer of Monroeton.

James Caldwell went on Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Caldwell at A. W. Buckley's at English Center They both returned home on Monday.

EAST TROY.

Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews of Watkins, N. Y., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Park.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Greenough and son Henry, were guests of friends in Elmira over Sunday.

Mrs. Moulton and grandson, Orin Warner, are on a trip to Rochester and other points in New York state.

All will regret to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. S. R. Baxter and will hope for her speedy recovery.

The farmers through this section are jubilant over the abundant hay crop and the ideal weather. At present the gardens and other vegetation are in need of rain.

The M. E. social Saturday evening at the parsonage was well attended, and netted the Aid society nearly $9.

Harry Brooks, who is working for Henry Manley of Alba, was home over Sunday.

CEBU.

Farmers are busy with their hay which is a good crop in this section.

Aura Allis entertained a company of young people from Allis Hollow.

Julia Camp and daughter called on Mrs. J. C. Lee at Herrickville, Friday.

Mrs. Charles Lawton of Greene, N. Y., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Dougherty.

Loretta Fitzgerald is visiting friends in Sayre.

The Ladies' Aid will have an ice cream social at Walter Rowe's, in Allis Hollow, Thursday evening, Aug. 8. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

SOUTH BURLINGTON.

Aden Heller of Illinois, is spending some time with relatives in this place.

R. L. Bevan, accompanied by Miss Ione McDonald visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wrisley at Columbia X Roads Saturday.

The ice cream social held last week Wednesday evening at the home of Job Ellis was both a social and financial successs, the proceeds being $24.

LADDSBURG.

Miss Lillie M. Davis and niece of New York state, came last Thursday to spend some time at J. F. Waltman's and D. L. Kenyon's.

J. F. Waltman of Towanda, spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Gertrude Rhodes of Stevenson, spent Sunday with Mis Jean Kenyon.

Miss Ivy Grant went to East Canton last Wednesday to spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Joel Manley.

Miss Gertrude Jones of Towanda, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hannah Grant.

Mrs. James Ditchburn and daughter Mattie, of Towanda, spent several days with her sister, Mrs. W. Allen.

Mrs. Edward Chapman of Bernice spent most of last week with Mrs. A. B. Chapman.

Mrs. Frank Avery and children of Towanda, came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Miller.

C. W. Chapman went to Pittston last Wednesday to spend some time with his daughter, Mrs. George Kintner.

The Ladies' Aid met last Wednesday with Mrs. Levi Kissner. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Fanny Jackson, for dinner. Everybody invited.

Young People's Church Aid will meet with Mrs. Ida Gowan on Friday evening, Aug. 9. The lunch committee will serve a good lunch for 10 cents.

Ernest Allen of Monroeton, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allen.

Miss Jean Kenyon returned home on Wednesday from Sayre, after spending one week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller and son James, returned home Tuesday evening, after spending two weeks with relatives in Sayre.

GRANVILLE CENTER.

Claud Case and family moved last week from rooms over the store in the Odd Fellows' building into L. D. May's house on the South side of the creek lately vacated by Martin Haflet's family.

Charles M. Saxton, who for several years has been a clerk in the post-office at Washington, D. C., and is well up the ladder, having spent most of his vacation here with his father, S. J. Saxton, and sister, Mrs. Raymond Selleck and family, returned to his post of duty the first of this week.

Rev. B. A. Bower spent last week in Troy, caring for Rev. J. L. Phoenix, who is very ill and is there again this week for the same purpose, sent by the I. O. O. F. lodge.

Mrs. Asa Andrews went last Monday to Washington, D. C., to stay for some time with her son, Clarence Andrews, and family.

Dr. B. W. Genung and wife were in Ithaca last Monday to attend the funeral of the doctor's brother's wife and daughter who lost their lives by the blowing up of a vessel on Cayuga lake last Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. McElroy is quite ill and he is still very sore and lame from the bruises received in his fall down stairs a week or two ago.

BURLINGTON.

Mrs Harry Melville is spending some time at Halls, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Geralds are home after a month's sojourn in Milan with their daughter, Mrs. Jacob Vannoy.

Henry Swingle and wife of Towanda, are spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Swingle.

E. W. Waldron was in New York last week on business.

Dr. and Mrs. E. N. Shepard visited a few days at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kilmer's in Black last week.

Miss Celia Long of Towanda, is visiting Mrs. Gustin Essenwine.

Miss Ida Swingle of Laddsburg, is visiting her cousin and aunt, Mrs. Hannah Swingle and Mrs. J. H. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henson are again at home after a stay of three months in Towanda.

Mrs. Cora Kellogg visited in Ulster last week.

Mrs. May Hamilton and daughter visited at Ferris Brown's last week.

MACEDONIA.

The Cheney--Washburn reunion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Grace on August 15. All bring refreshments. All friends and relatives will be welcome. Those from a distance will be met at Wysox if they will notify the secretary, F. D. Grace, Towanda, Pa, route No. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCabe broke camp last Saturday. They were in camp here three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sill of Towanda, are camping for a few days in Mrs. Alice Stevens grove.

Miss Flora Kilmer of Wysox, is staying with Mrs. F. D. Grace for a few days.

Henry McCracken is a hustler. He is nearly through with his harvesting. He finished his haying over a week ago.

SACO.

The Misses Ruth and Sarah Ammermon of Washington, D. C., are spending a few weeks with relatives at this place.

Mrs. D. B. Brooks was called to Leona Friday on account of the illness of Mrs. Dent Ballard.

Dr. Lyon was called to the home of Horace Heath on account of illness of his wife.

Mrs. John Gilfoyle went on Saturday to Mercy hospital, Wilkes-Barre, to receive treatment.

Robert Pollock is ill.

The Ladies' Aid social was held at the Grange hall, Thursday evening. Ice cream and cake were served; proceeds, $16.50.

The great dollar weekly—The Reporter-Jounal.

DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations.

Asylum Twp.—June 24, 1907. Anna Strong Spencer to William E. Lane, trustee; 160 acres, $1.

Athens Boro.—April 5, 1907. Jas. S. Parks and wife to Mable Cheeney; lot, $1,400.

Troy Twp.—June 15, 1907. George Dillin to W. S. Nearing; 5 acres, $2,750.

Ridgebury Twp.—June 25, 1907. First National bank, Waverly, to Geo Rightmire; lot, $1.

Albany Twp.—June 26, 1907. Zoe and John L. Shaffer to C. J. Sumner; lot, $25.

Wilmot Twp.—Dec 20, 1906. William Dull to the Township of Wilmot; lot, $100.

Albany Twp.—May 23, 1907. Estate of J. V. Terry to Frank Terry; 32 acres, $950.

New Albany Boro.—May 7, 1907. S. D. Sterigere and wife to E. E. Strevy; lot, $50.

Wyalusing Boro.—April 16, 1907. L. R. Lantz and others to Lillian J. Brown; lot, $200.

Wysox Twp.—Feb. 4, 1907. Farmers Dairy Despatch to Consolidated Real Estate Co.; lot, $1.

Terry Twp.—June 1, 1907. Alice A. and Warren A. Terrill to Clayton Terrill; 1 acre, $250.

Athens Twp.—June 15, 1907. Edmund J. Neavers and wife to Charles C. West; lot, $1.

Ridgebury Twp.—April 9, 1907. John Hapeman to Eva May Stevens; lots, $900.

Wilmot Twp.—May 25, 1907. W. O. Farr and wife to Patrons of Husbandry No. 512, Wilmot; lot, $5.

Wyalusing Twp.—March 12, 1880. C. F. Stevens to Mary Jane Brown; 30 acres, $1,750.

Burlington Boro.—March 18, 1904. D. M. Campbell and wife to Martha A. Schoonover; lot, $255.

Burlington Boro.—Nov. 9, 1906. W. I. Lane and wife to George J. Schoonover; lot, $100.

Terry Twp.—July 1, 1907. Raymond Vanderpool and wife to Electa Green; 10 acres, $525.

Sayre Boro.—April 25, 1907. Lloyd E. Smith and wife to C. F. Moore; lot, $175.

Sayre Boro.—Feb. 19, 1907. Cora E. Perry to Lloyd E. Smith; lot, $1.

Athens Twp.—June 1, 1907. Louis Westfall and wife to Lewis D. Westfall; lot, $1.

Towanda Boro.—June 29, 1907. Eleanor G. Little to Ella Castle Jennings; lot, $7,000.

Granville Twp.—Jan. 3, 1907. Sophia Leonard and others to C. E. Dickinson; 50 acres, $2,000.

Wilmot Twp.—July 1, 1907. Nora Pritchard to Burton H. Pritchard; 24 acres, $1.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Mrs. Emma Rockwell and Miss Nellie Rockwell were week end guests of friends in Towanda.

Miss Kate Walsh visited her sister, Mrs. J. M. Rockwell, the latter part of the week.

Miss Katherine Blackwell was an over Sunday guest of her cousin, Rebecca Blackwell, in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell and sister, Mrs. Harriet Everett, returned Friday from a visit with their son in Elmira.

Mr. and Eugene Miler left last Sunday for their home in Rahway, N. J., after spending several weeks at Meadow Brook farm.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Clark wish through the columns of this paper to express their thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the sickness and death of their aged father, James L. Clark, also the Baptists of Troy, who so kindly opened their church for the funeral services, and especially the singers and those who furnished flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Clark.

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Miscellaneous.

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G. W. KIPP, President. U. M. FELL, Cashier.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens' National Bank, at Towanda in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, March 22, 1907:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 570,993 11
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	117 88
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	150,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds	5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc	199,949 13
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures	30,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	17,785 43
Due from State Banks and bankers	35,169 72
Due from approved reserve agents	72,249 86
Checks and other cash items	1,665 66
Notes of other National Banks	2,625 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	427 10
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie $33,275 90	
Legal-tender notes 7,550 00	40,825 90
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas (5 per cent. of circulation	7,500 00
Total	$1,134,308 79

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	40,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,645 63
National Bank notes outstanding	150,000 00
Due to other National Banks	7,392 39
Due to State Banks and Bankers	14 74
Dividends unpaid	24 00
Individual deposits subject to check	306,779 23
Demand certificates of deposit	463,463 03
Certified checks	56 85
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,932 92
Total	$1,134,308 79

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss:

I, J. K. Newell, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of May, 1907.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. M. RAHM,
R. A. HORTON,
RUSH J. THOMSON,
Directors.

Neighbors Got Fooled.
"I was literally coughing myself to death, and had become too weak to leave my bed; and neighbors predicted that I would never leave it alive; but they got fooled, for thanks be to God, I was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It took just four one dollar bottles to completely cure the cough and restore me to good sound health," writes Mrs. Eva Uncapher of Grovertown, Stark Co., Ind. This King of cough and cold cures, and healer of throat and lungs, is guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State In Condensed Form.

WARNING TO AUTHORITIES.

Foxes in Snyder County Carry Away Over $500 Worth of Poultry, and Farmers Make a Raid on the Lairs —Other News.

Township authorities must have a care about where they drain public roads. Israel Dibler has brought suit in common pleas court against the township of West Eerl, Lancaster county, to recover $1,500 damages. The plaintiff claims that the township authorities drained water off a public road. It was conveyed onto his premises, and, besides damaging the crops, destroyed a well on the premises.

The hay and grain crops of Lehigh county are so large that in many cases the barns of the farmers are not large enough to hold them.

On one street in Danville there reside 23 widows, which is giving the superstitious folks of the town cause for considerable talk and worriment.

Hugh Abernethy, residing near Copeland, Chester county, whose barn was struck by lightning last week, has since discovered that three of his best horses that were stabled in it at the time are entirely deaf from the shock.

W. C. Carey of Westmoor has been granted a patent on a lock nut, intended to be used with all classes of work. It is claimed that the nut cannot work loose once it has been placed in position until it has been unlocked.

As the result of having had a stick accidentally run into his eye by a playmate, Willard, the three years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jones of Scranton, is dead. The stick was a pointed one and the wound caused blindness and then death.

Over 3,000 silk mill workers in the Scranton region are now out on strike, the ranks of the strikers being greatly augmented Saturday, when about a thousand more girls quit work. Eighteen large mills are affected by the strike.

During a violent storm which did considerable damage about Bloomsburg the other day, Mr. and Mrs. N. Schafley of Philadelphia, were driving near the Dillon greenhouses when the storm struck a buggy, completely overturning it and throwing out the occupants. Both were slightly injured. Buildings were unroofed and many trees were uprooted and broken off.

James Berdill, aged 13, caught a ride on the Erie train near Scranton and fell off. An arm and a leg were amputated and he is dying in the hospital, after lying for hours by the railroad tracks undiscovered.

Before the lairs of two female foxes with their numerous half-grown young ones were discovered by an armed mob of angry farmers, at Beaver Springs, Snyder county, more than 300 turkeys and ducks and chickens were carried away. The loss is over $500.

Wire worms are a serious pest in Elk county. They have already destroyed thousands of dollars' worth of corn, oats, wheat, potatoes, etc. They have done great damage in Benzinger township to oats and corn this year. One of the leading farmers reports that they have destroyed his entire field of corn.

Martin Crissman, a Sinking Valley, Blair county, farmer, killed a blacksnake six feet three inches long on Wednesday last. The cries of a rabbit attracted his attention to a clump of bushes, where he found the snake trying to swallow bunnie. Three rabbits were found in the snake when it was cut open.

Many hold-ups in Scranton city have alarmed residents. The offenders are not thought to be foreigners. A clamor is made for more patrolmen and a larger number of plain clothes men, as it is declared that on all occasions during last week when citizens were robbed not a policeman could be found in the territory infected by highwaymen.

Mrs. H. R. Lutz, at her home at the Brookside Farm, near Denver, Lancaster county, has in her yard a bed of funnel ferns which eclipses nearly everything in that line. The stems, radiating from a common center, are between four and five feet in length, and the outer edge of the funnel formed by the stems of a single plant is 4½ yards in circumference.

Thomas Watson of Union township, Center county, who is an 80-years old veteran of the Civil war, owes his life to the fidelity of a pet house dog. The other day while grubbing out a fence row he came upon a large copperhead snake. He lifted the hoe to strike the reptile, but the hoe caught in the branches. The snake started for Mr. Watson, but the dog came to his rescue and broke the copperhead's back.

Mrs. Abraham Kerstetter of Shamokin, being told that her favorite nephew, Emanuel Crawford, had been killed in a coal mine, went to bed at once and died of grief a few hours afterwards.

Charged with polluting a stream which empties into the Providence reservoir, near Scranton, William Hall has been arrested by the agents of the State department and is being held for a hearing.

Mrs. William Pyle of Scenery Hill, Washington county, was frightened into hysterics on Saturday, upon going to her dressing bureau and finding a three-foot rattlesnake lying among her toilet articles.

Tripping on her dress while descending the stairs with a lighted lamp, Mrs. Charlotte Quinn of Altoona, aged 70, fell to the bottom. The lamp exploded and set fire to the woman. When found, half an hour later, she was burned to a crisp.

Mrs. Helen A. Abel, proprietress of the Fountain Inn, at Glen Rock, York county, suddenly left the town on Thursday, leaving back her husband, two small children and $9,000 in debts. Henry Shewell, a member of the Glen Rock band, left at the same time.

As a Lehigh Valley freight train was passing Lehigh Gap Sunday night a man in flames was seen running along the top of the box cars. He fought to extinguish his burning clothing. Becoming exhausted he fell between two cars and was cut in two by the wheels. His identity is not established, but in his clothes was found a pay envelope addressed to Charles Brady from the Thomasville Stone and Lime company, of Thomasville, York county.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mrs. Ella Vanness spent last week with relatives in Towanda and Franklindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber of New York city, returned last week from a few weeks' visit with her brother here.

F. C. Landmesser made a short trip to Wyalusing Monday.

Mrs. C. L. Hendershot and son of Asylum, visited at John Moore's Sunday.

Little baby Costello is dangerously ill.

Frances Gunn of Towanda, is spending some time with her grandparents here.

H. G. Dobson and Roy Corde of New York city, are visiting F. C. Landmesser.

Guy Elsworth of Wyalusing, made a call in town Monday.

Mrs. O. E. Peeler and daughter of Sayre, were visiting friends in this place last week.

The Vanness reunion wil be held at the M. E. church the first Saturday in September. Everyone make preperations for a big time.

Joe Coe's little boy was kicked in the stomach by a horse last week and quite badly injured.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Vanness are driving a fine new carriage.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCracken were down from Towanda last week.

Henry and Louise Fisher attended the ball game at LeRaysville Saturday.

Mrs. John Fisher has gone home with her mother for her health.

POWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton of Buffalo, visited at Frank Hancock's last week.

Edward Granger of Granville, and Mrs. Mary Thurston and Mrs. Burt Selleck of Athens, visited friends in Powell recently.

Merton Shriner has moved to Athens.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown visited friends in Laquin Saturday.

Mrs. George Bradley of Athens, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Gilbert, widow of the deceased Elijah Gilbert, died Friday, July 26. She leaves seven children, a father and several brothers and sisters to mourn their loss. Funeral services were held in the M. E. church Sunday, with interment in the Powell cemetery.

John Talada moved over the meat market Thursday.

SAYLES.

Arthur Smiley of Binghamton, has been spending a number of days with his son, Dorsey Smiley.

Mrs. R. A. Holcomb of Sayre, visited her parents, Mr and Mrs. Joseph Woodin, Friday and Saturday.

Jerome Alexander visited his son, Arthur Alexander, at Barclay Sunday.

Those sick are Mrs. Joseph Woodin and Mrs. Patience Anderson.

The Modesty of Women

naturally makes them shrink from the indelicate questions, the obnoxious examinations, and unpleasant local treatments, which some physicians consider essential in the treatment of diseases of women. Yet, if help can be had, it is better to submit to this ordeal than let the disease grow and spread. The trouble is that so often the woman undergoes all the annoyance and shame for nothing. Thousands of women who have been cured by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription write in appreciation of the cure which dispenses with the examinations and local treatments. There is no other medicine so sure and safe for delicate women as "Favorite Prescription." It cures debilitating drains, irregularity and female weakness. It always helps. It almost always cures. It is strictly non-alcoholic, non-secret, all its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper; contains no deleterious or habit-forming drugs, and every native medicinal root entering into its composition has the full endorsement of those most eminent in the several schools of medical practice. Some of these numerous and strongest of professional endorsements of its ingredients, will be found in a pamphlet wrapped around the bottle, also in a booklet mailed *free* on request, by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. These professional endorsements should have far more weight than any amount of the ordinary lay, or non-professional testimonials.

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WORK OF THE GRIM REAPER.

Shubel B. Cotton.

Shubel B. Cotton, a well known farmer of Vawter, in Litchfield township, fell from a hay rake while at work in his hay field about 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon and expired before aid reached him, from an attack of epilepsy, to which he had been subject.

Mr. Cotton left his home about 20 minutes before a passer-by noticed his body hanging over the rake, the unfortunate man having fallen backwards The horse was standing and there were no marks on the body to indicate that the man had been dragged on the ground. Just as the men, who discovered him, reached his side he breathed his last. He had suffered from epileptic attacks on seven previous occasions.

Mr. Cotton was 47 years old and, with the exception of four years when he lived in Rome township, had resided in Litchfield all his life, where he conducted a farm and had been engaged in pressing hay. He leaves a widow, two sons, Burton J. Cotton of Lockwood, and William Cotton, who lives at home, and one daughter, Mrs. John Morley of East Athens. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. D. L. Elliott of Litchfield.

Funeral services were held at his late home Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and from the church at Bumpville at 11 o'clock, Rev. Charles Jewell of Rome, officiating.

Burton L. Wells.

Late Sunday night Burton L. Wells, a well known citizen of West Pittston, died at his home in that place, after a prolonged illness. Deceased has been in poor health for the past year and for several weeks his condition was so critical that no hope was entertained for his recovery. Mr. Wells was a native of LeRaysville, Bradford county, born there in 1859. He spent his early life there and was united in marriage to his present wife in 1879. Two years after his marriage he, with his family, moved to West Pittston, where he has since resided. He was a carpenter by trade and followed that occupation until three years ago, when he was appointed head keeper at Luzerne county prison, and last spring he was reappointed. Mr. Wells had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances and was highly esteemed and respected. He was a man of excellent character and was a kind and loving husband and father. He was a member of the Knights of Golden Eagle. His widow survives, also one son, G. B. Wells, and two sisters, Mrs. Horton Taylor of LeRaysville, and Mrs. Joseph Langford of West Pittston, also one brother, Benton E. Wells of New York.

Funeral services were held Tuesday evening at the Wells home in West Pittston by Dr. McDermott at 7:30, and on Wednesday morning the remains were taken to LeRaysville for interment in the Prattville cemetery.

W. Harvey Bowman.

Winfield Harvey Bowman died of apoplexy at his home in Owego, Monday evening, July 22. He was born at Terrytown, Bradford county, Pa., July 29, 1852, and until last May, when he went to Owego and entered the employ of Edward Jones in the planing mill, had always lived in Wyalusing, Athens and Sayre. Mr. Bowman was twice married, his first wife having died 24 years ago and his last wife a little over a year ago. He is survived by three brothers, W. Clinton Bowman of Athens, Don M. and Leon D. Bowman of Terrytown, and one sister, Mrs. Rose Hoffman of Terrytown, two sons, Charles W. Bowman of New Albany, and Horton G. Bowman of Oyster Bay, L. I., and three daughters, Mrs. Sarah Smith of Binghamton, Mrs. Myrtle Sacks of New Albany, and Mrs. Kathryn Stowell of Athens. The remains of Mr. Bowman were taken to Wyalusing where the funeral services were held Thursday in charge of Go-Hon-To-To Tribe, No. 436, Improved Order Red Men.

Miss Lou Homet.

Miss Lou Homet of Homets Ferry, died in the Sayre hospital Saturday morning. She went to Sayre two weeks ago Saturday and on the following Monday underwent an operation for the removal of a tumor. Her condition was very favorable and she seemed on the road to recovery until Friday evening, when there was a change for the worse, and Saturday morning death relieved her sufferings. She was born in Homets Ferry 49 years ago, the daughter of Edward Homet, who alone survives her. He is 90 years of age, in feeble health, and the daughter who has passed away was his constant companion caring for him devotedly until going to the hospital. The funeral was held at the homet home Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, and interment was made in the cemetery at that place.

James L. Clark.

James L. Clark died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Woodford Clark, in Armenia township, July 23, of old age, aged 90 years, two months, 27 days. He was born in Sussex county, N. J. He had made his home with his daughter since the death of his wife, Sept. 13, 1891. He leaves to mourn his death two sons, A. A. Clark of Wells, Rix W. of Alba, and three daughters, Mrs. Ward Soper of Wellsburg, N. Y., Mrs. Woodford Clark of Armenia, and Mrs. Carson McClane of Coryland. Mr. Clark was a kind father and good neighbor. He was of a mild, quiet disposition. None knew him but to respect him. His presence will be greatly missed in the home where his last days were spent and where he was loved and respected, especially by the grandchildren whose every thought was for the comfort of "grandpa."

George N. Chaffee.

On Saturday forenoon, July 27, George N. Chaffee died at the Soldiers' Home at Erie, Pa., aged 68 years. Comrade Chaffee was a member of Company G, 50th Pennsylvania Volunteers, and without doubt was one of the members of that illustrious regiment who assisted very much in placing it in the front rank of fighting regiments. He saw the terrible ravages of war at Antietam and on many other battlefields and was finally captured and spent many months as a prisoner a Andersonville. For years he had been in poor health and a few months ago decided to enter a Soldiers' home. Six weeks ago he left LeRaysville for Erie where he hoped to live for many years in comfort. But his stay there was of short duration. He will be buried in the National cemetery there. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Charles Dimon of South Warren.

James McGee.

James McGee of New Albany, died at 1:30 o'clock Sunday at the Robert Packer hospital. Mr. McGee was taken to the hospital Saturday night and was in a precarious condition when he arrived. In spite of all the efforts made to save his life he died early Sunday afternoon. Mr. McGee was 62 years old and is surv;ved by his wife and one son, James, who was with him when the end came. The remains were taken to to his late home at 6:45 Monday morning. Mr. McGee was an old and highly respected citizen of New Albany, and his death comes as a shock to the citizens of that village.

Thomas Casey.

Thomas Casey died very suddenly at his home in Susquehanna Tuesday morning. He was in apparently good health and when he retired Monday night did not complain of any illness. Tuesday morning his wife was shocked when she found him dead. A wife and four sons, Thomas, Patrick, Daniel, and James, survive him. The funeral was held Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock from the house and 10 o'clock from St. John's Catholic cemetery. Burial in Laurel Hill cemetery. Mrs. Nellie Kennedy of Towanda, is a sister of Mrs. Casey.

Mrs. Augusta Bolich.

Mrs. Augusta Bolich, for many years a resident of Sayre, died on Thursday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Atkinson, aged 77 years. Mrs. Bolich became a resident of Sayre in 1880, her husband being engaged in the hardware business. She is survived by five children—Mrs. Atkinson, Alfred and Herman of Sayre, Mrs. C. A. Thompson of Towanda, and Louis C. Bolich of Ashland. Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 in the Lutheran church.

Eva Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Hess of East Towanda, mourn the loss of their two years old daughter, Eva, who died Saturday night, after a brief illness with cholera infantum.

Elinor C. Robbins.

At Jenningston, W. Va., July 27, of bowel trouble, Elinor Christine, infant child of Orin G. and Mary E. Robbins, aged 15 weeks. Interment at Monroeton, Pa.

Mrs. W. B. Harris.

Mrs. W. B. Harris of Athens, died at 11 o'clock Monday morning at the Robert Packer hospital after an illness of three weeks from typhoid fever.

Mrs. Augusta Gilbert.

Mrs. Augusta Gilbert, widow of Elijah Gilbert, died at her home in Franklindale, Friday morning.

HAT CHECKS A QUARTER.

Guests Came Bareheaded and Wedding Ended In Fight.

New York, July 30.—Perhaps with thrifty forethought, the male guests set a new fashion at the Shack-Rosenfeld nuptials in Central hall, 1915 Third avenue, on Sunday night. Of 100 men at the wedding only six wore hats it seemed.

Samuel and Solomon Miller, cousins of the bride, engaged the hall, owned by Herman Greenburg, for the wedding of Miss Molly Rosenfeld of 72 East One Hundred and Sixth street. The Millers paid $15 rent. Greenburg was to collect 25 cents from each guest for checking his hat. Everybody had a good time at the wedding except Jacob, Herman Greenburg's son, who ran the hat room. The two Millers kept faith and checked their hats, but only four other men did, thus adding but $1.50 to the hall's rental.

When the Millers went for their hats after the wedding, Jacob Greenburg would not hand them out, and a very pretty melee followed in which most of the 200 guests, women and men, took active part. Jacob Greenburg and Isaac Woods of 1935 Third avenue, who sided with him, were arrested, charged with assault on the Millers. In the Harlem court Magistrate Walsh held Greenburg in $100 bail for trial and discharged Woods.

Boll Weevils Baked to Death.

Baton Rouge, La., July 30.—Enormous numbers of boll weevil grubs have been baked to death by the scorching sun of the past two weeks. The heat killed so many grubs as to make prospects of a fair crop in sections where the outlook was worse.

HEEMAN WILL EMIGRATE.

Agreed to Leave Waverly Permanently Rather Than Go to Jail.

According to the Athens News, "Waverly is to lose an undesirable citizen within a week, and Towanda had best beware, for he formerly resided in that place, and will probably seek his ancient stamping ground. But wherever he goes his departure will be looked upon with gladness and Waverly, especially the police department, will breathe a sigh of relief.

"The name of this not illustrious citizen, is Lyman Heeman, and he will leave this vicinity voluntarily, and by agreement in lieu of a stay in the county jail which would not be voluntary or by agreement. Horace Heeman will spend the next 30 days at the refuge for the inebriate at Owego; while Mrs. Felix Heeman left town forthwith at the urgent request of Justice Hoagland, who held up visions of the Owego jail as an incentive to hurry.

"There were six of the Heemans or their relatives, and they came to Waverly Tuesday with a load of vegetables. They sold the produce and then spent the proceeds in purchasing the amber fluid that makes for hilarity and started for the home of Lyman Heeman at North Waverly. They are in the habit of using the Lehigh tracks as a highway and had gone as far as the East Waverly crossing when a dispute started. Then the dispute ripened into a free for all fight, and everyone was hitting at everyone else. Special Officer DeWitt happened to come in sight of the fracas, and while a long ways off, stopped to examine the peculiar actions in which the crowd was indulging. He soon saw that it was a bona fide scrap and so started toward the scene of hostilities, picking up an assistant on the way.

"Arriving at the scene he discovered that the crowd consisted of "Pools" and most of them had stones that they were striking with. He managed to get hold of Horace Heeman, and then tossed the woman into a wagon that stood near. She objected to the treatment and tried to stab the officer with woman's most approved weapon, a hat pin. DeWitt managed to avoid such a catastrophe, and then captured Lyman. His assistant got hold of one of the belligerants, but the man struck at him several times and got away. In the meantime the other two had taken leg bail, and so but three of the crowd were captured.

"Horace pleaded guilty to all the charges that it was seen fit to bring against him and was sent up for 30 days. Eliza, when told to get out of town, replied that this was her first visit to Waverly, and it would be her last, and it is earnestly hoped that she told the truth.

"Lyman declared that he was not guilty of intoxication, but on advice of counsel, he changed his plea, and admitted that he was drunk, and then made his agreement to leave within a week."

TO CONTINUE "PICK-UPS."

Lehigh Is Not to Abandon Necessary Trains During Rush of Traffic.

The rumor that the Lehigh Valley intends soon to abandon what are known as "pick-up trains" is denied by the company's officers, and they say that with the present condition of traffic continuing, the pick-ups are an imperative necessity.

"Pick-ups" are trains which stop at sidings and, as the name implies, pick up cars and take them to large yards, where they are placed in the proper trains. In the past, when traffic was running light the pick-ups were abandoned and the pick-up work was done by other trains. The Lehigh Valley officers say that traffic has been very heavy during the present Summer and promises to increase, so that the pick-ups will have to be continued and other trains will have to be added. Within the next month two fruit trains and a fruit pick-up will commence running on the Pennsylvania division of the Lehigh Valley.

ORWELL.

H. H. Frisbie of New York, is visiting at W. K. Frisbie's.

W. H. Eastman of South Owego, was calling on his sister, Mrs. J. M. Cowles Monday.

A. L. Vought, who suffered a slight stroke last Wednesday is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rogers and daughter of Athens, visited their father, A. L. Vought, the last of the week.

Miss Ethel Robinson, who has been visiting friends in Susquehanna county, has returned home.

W. H. Farrar, who has lately returned from India, will lecture in the M. E. church Friday evening on the customs and life in that land, illustrated with some fine stereopticon views. Ice cream and cake will be served after the lecture. Admission 15 cents.

WESTON.

The Salvation Army of Towanda, will hold services in the Weston school house Aug. 4, at 2 o'clock, p m.

Mrs. J. L. Race and Master Leroy, have returned to Syracuse after spending the past two weeks at the home of H. E. Northrup.

Mrs. Polly Watkins was given a surprise party Saturday evening, it being her birthday.

Miss Clara Sabin of Towanda, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Northrup, one day last week.

Mrs. Leon McClure is quite ill.

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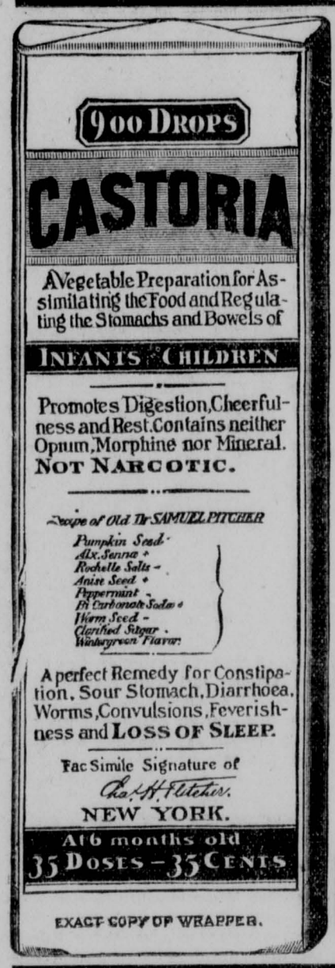
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FUNERAL AND WEDDING.

Galeton Preacher En Route With Funeral Party Officiated at Marriage

Rev. P. H. Hershey, pastor of the Galeton Presbyterian church, during a wait of over an hour at Addison, N. Y., Monday en route with the funeral party accompanying the remains of Engineer Curtis Leonard to Daggetts, joined a couple in holy wedlock at the American Hotel. The contracting parties were Miss Mae C. Kelly of Galeton, and Russel S. Boyd, formerly of Galeton, now located in Iowa.

It had been all planned to have the marriage performed in Elmira but upon learning of the wait there between trains the young couple then sought Rev. Hershey who accompanied them to the American House and there made them both very happy using in its entirety the beautiful but simple service of the Presbyterian church.

Local News in Brief.

Mrs. J. A. Dougherty is entertaining her nieces, Miss Marie H. Dwyer of Syracuse, Miss Helen E. Dady of Cazenovia, N. Y., and cousin, Mrs. John Kernan, of Cortland.

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THOMPSON HILL.

Miss Cassie Richardson of Albany, N. Y., has been calling on friends and relatives in this place.

The Misses Iva, Jane and Laura Lewis visited Miss Louise Andrus near Doty Hill on Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Frazier and daughter, Thelma, visited at Daniel Chase's on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elston of Elmira, have been spending some time with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher.

Mrs. Ruby Jeroleman and children of Elmira, are visiting at William Chase's.

Roy Cease of Canton, is spending a few weeks with Crayton Cease and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Steve May, from near Bentley Creek, visited at George Fletcher's on Sunday last.

Mrs. Harry O. Kingsley and son, Walter, of Ricketts, Pa., are spending a few days at Walter Mason's.

WILAWANA.

Frank Kirk of Elmira, was calling on his many friends her Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Brown returned from Elmira Friday morning.

Mrs. W. A. Bosworth visited her son in Lowman over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Parsons of North Waverly, were pleasant callers here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark of Elmira, visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. E. Knight over Sunday.

The engine room for the creamery is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doty and son of Greenwich, N. Y., are spending a few days here.

Mrs. W. J. Webb is improving at this writing.

ORWELL RIDGE.

Mrs. M. A. Overpeck of Herrickville, spent Sunday at M. B. Chaffee's.

Paul Tilten of LeRaysville, is spending some time at E. D. Chaffee's

Mrs. Miles Taylor and Mrs. John Antisdale of West Warren, called on the Ridge on Saturday

Lewis Chaffee called on friends at LeRaysville on Sunday.

EXAMINATIONS IN AUGUST.

Prospective Pupils of the Towanda High School Should Read This.

Examinations for admission to the various classes of the Towanda High school, and for pupils who failed in the grades, will be held during the last week in August. Schools open on Sept. 2.

All who expect to enter the High school and who have not already registered their course of study, are urged to make their selection of studies and notify the principal without delay. Those who have passed the county superintendent's rural examinations will be admitted without further examination. Following are the courses of studies which pupils are requested to select from:

First Year.—English, general history, algebra. Choice of latin or business arithmetic and civics, or French.

Second Year.—English, geometry, English history. Choice of latin or bookkeeping, or French or German.

Third Year.—English, higher algebra and solid geometry. Choice of any two of the following: Physics, German, latin, ancient history, or French.

Fourth Year.—English. Choice of any three of the following: Latin, German, physics, ancient history, trigonometry and mathematical review, or French.

All pupils are required to take four subjects; they are advised not to try more. Special courses may not be arranged except with the consent of the principal. Completion of the equivalent of any 16 of above full year subjects will secure a diploma.

Pupils who expect to enter business before the end of the course should take business arithmetic and bookkeeping. Those who expect to enter any kind of engineering or technical course should elect all the mathematics, science, German and French.

General preparatory courses require all the latin and German, two branches of history, elementary and higher algebra and plane geometry.

Full course in English is required of all.

Bashi-bazouks Busy Again.

Athens, July 30.—There has been a pitched battle between Turkish troops, supported by bashi-bazouks, and a small band of Greek insurgents who had entrenched themselves in a house in the outskirts of Seres, European Turkey (fifty miles northeast of Salonika). The band was completely wiped out, but thirty men were killed before the soldiers, aided by artillery, succeeded in capturing the minature fortress. During the fighting the bashi-bazouks pillaged over a hundred houses and burned a number of Greek buildings in Seres.

Porto Rican Speaker at Jamestown.

Norfolk, Va., July 30.—Adlai E. Stevenson of Illinois, former vice president of the United States; Congressman J. Warren Keifer of Ohio, former speaker of the house of representatives, and Jose de Diego, speaker of the Porto Rican house of delegates, were the central figures of attraction at the celebration at the Jamestown exposition of "legislative assembly day," or the two hundred and eighty-eighth anniversary of the convening of the first house of burgesses of Virginia at Jamestown island.

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Of Wysox Township.

The man who called at Oyster Bay and claimed to be the devil may have merely wanted to ask the President if it is hot enough for him.—Wilkes-Barre Times.

The monkey that was entertained at a breakfast by some Newport society people the other day, it is said, did not exhibit any sign of being lonely during the social event.

An Indiana woman, who hadn't spoken to a man in 70 years is dead at the age of 95. Will bet there is not a woman in Towanda who would care to prolong her life at such a cost.

Five years ago the national debt of Japan was $2.50 per capita, and now, as a result of the war with Russia or the attendant expense of becoming a world power, with the necessary army and navy outfit, the debt amounts to $22.50 per capita. The Japanese peace party needs no other argument.

It appears somewhat incongruous perhaps to comment upon the celerity with which a hanging is done, but the evident smoothness with which the execution of Johnson, at Towanda, Thursday, was enacted by Sheriff Griffin and his deputies must, so far as such a subject can, appeal for congratulation. It finely shows with what care all the details of the unpleasant task were arranged and carried out.—Williamsport Sun.

A young man living in Philadelphia recently had his picture taken in character. That is to say, a whiskey bottle and a glass stood on a stand by which he sat. He inscribed the photograph, "Don't worry, dear, I don't use much of this." The young woman married him. For three weeks they lived a wretched life and then the jealous husband shot and killed the wife, inflicting injuries upon himself which proved fatal five hours later. There is no moral.

A Missouri paper says that a new judge arose to charge the jury and said: "Gentlemen of the jury, charging a jury is a new business to me, as this is my first case. You have heard all the evidence as well as myself. You have heard what the learned counsel have said. If you believe what the counsel for the plaintiff have told you, your verdict would be for the plaintiff; but if, on the other hand, you believe what the defendant's counsel has told you, then you will find a verdict for the defendant; but if you were like me, and don't believe what either of them said, then I'll be d—d if I know what you'll do. Constable, take charge of the jury."

Relative to "Old Home Week" festivities, which are becoming quite numerous, the Philadelphia Ledger says: "Old Home Week" is an institution which should be fostered. It had its origin in New England, and is gradually being introduced in other portions of the country. It is intended to reunite for a season the enterprising persons who have left the place of their nativity for 'pastures new.' The celebration culminates in a public commemoration of old times and a revival of the old family and neighborly associations. The occasion is more likely to be successful in small towns, where every one is more or less interested in every one else, and where the social ties are close."

Fourteen years ago, Edward W. Bailey, a resident of Chicago, and an operator of the board of trade in that city, got caught in the famous pork corner that was manipulated with such distastrous results by John Cudahy and swept into financial ruin. He paid his creditors as far as he was able and started afresh. On last Saturday he sent checks representing $60,000 to his creditors, wiping out the last vestige of his old indebtedness, together with the accrued interest. Amid the flood of rascality that is sweeping over the land it is a pleasure to note that there is still some of the old-time honor and honesty lying around which used to be the boast and pride of the old-time merchants.

Lost—Find it with a small ad.

THE SUICIDE OF CHILDREN.

The Chicago Tribune tells us that a leading lawyer of the city of Paris has written and published a volume dealing with suicide among the young, its cause and methods of prevention. This lawyer declares that child suicide is rapidly increasing in France. An exchange tells us that other authorities tell about similar conditions existing in Germany, Switzerland, Italy and Spain. The authorities in Germany have become alarmed by the gravity of the situation and are beginning to investigate the causes. In Prussia alone there were 1,152 cases between 1882 and 1905.

The exchange continues: While suicides in this country are rapidly increasing—the total, indeed, for this year will approximate 10,000—and are increasing much more rapidly than homicides, it is pleasant to know that the increase is not among children. Apparently there is nothing in home life or school life to induce the young to take their own lives, which argues that child life here is happier than it is in the Old World.

Of course there are the exceptional cases in this matter, as in everything else. For instance, during the present year a boy killed himself because he could not collect a trifling sum due him; a girl because she was tired of taking care of an invalid sister; another girl after reading of the doings of a suicide club; a boy because his mother requested him to do some digging; another lad because he wished to die with his boots on, after the manner of dime novel heroes; another because his mother refused to buy berries for him; and a girl because life no longer had any charm for her. These, however, as was said, are exceptional cases, and indicate degeneracy if not insanity in some form It is difficult to conceive of a physically and mentally healthy child committing suicide in this country, where parental discipline is lax, opportunities for fun and mischief abundant, law restraints loose, and home restraints looser.

In France the authority already cited says that continual scolding, reproof for trifling matters, and punishment upon slight provocation are the rule at home and in school, and that children are afflicted with neurasthenia, hysteria, epilepsy and other ailments, largely due to heredity. American children, as a rule, are healthy; they are not corrected often at home; they are not punished at school. The American child is having too good a time to lose it by committing suicide.

It is unfortunately true, however, that suicide among American adults is increasing with alarming rapidity, especially in the large cities. The number increases fully 20 per cent. each year. This year the ratio will be even larger. Oftentimes the causes are frivolous. It is possible even to trace the course of periodical suicide waves. In the gradual weakening of moral responsibility suicide is no longer regarded as a crime. One of the most frequent causes of suicide during the last two years is ill health, showing how many people prefer death to suffering, and believe they have the right to end existence. These are sad facts, but how is the evil to be staid? The Salvation Army is the only organization which has yet grappled with it. It has made a brave beginning and saved some lives. It ought to be helped. There should be joy in living instead of this increasing pessimism. Fortunately the evil in this country is not increasing among the young.

Blue light is the anesthetic of the future and will soon supercede chloroform, ether and cocaine because it is as effective and perfectly harmless. This is the view of a famous French professor of surgery, who has proved it by directing a ray of blue electric light on the eyes of patients, excluding all other light and thus producing pleasantly and harmlessly a state of perfect insensibility. At present the sleep produced by the blue rays lasts only two or three minutes, sufficient for the extraction of a tooth, but doubtless the method can be developed so as to cover more elaborate operations. Blue surroundings, the professor also declares, are good for all nervous affections. Patients placed in a blue room where light, hangings, furniture and all are blue, far from getting the blues, as might be expeced, are soothed from nervous ension and pass into pleasant slumber.

The Swastika symbol, now worn so much as stick-pins, pendants and watch-fobs, dates back to the days of Buddha. The odd shape of these pins which are now being sold in Towanda jewelry stores led us to investigate as to its origin. It is nearly like two capital letter "Z's" crossed and forming the shape of the oldest cross in existence. The Swastika has been found in the Western pre-historic ruins, in the temples of Central America and Mexico, in the burial ruins of the East and among the Apache Indians of Arizona. The Buddhists attach religious significance to it, and it is found over the heart and on the soles of the feet of every authentic statute of Buddha. It is known that four times during the year, can be seen at midnight. The Polar star is the center which, with the constellation of Ursa Major, forms a complete Swastika. It is a fad with a history.

That the educational advantages of the public school system are highly valued in Luzerne county, says the Wilkes-Barre News, is demonstrated by the fact that there are 61,540 school children in the county. Of this number Wilkes-Barre has 8,909; Nanticoke, 3,453; Hazleton, 3,185, and Pittston, 2,467.

Wants advs. bring results.

DECADENCE IN LITERARY TASTE

J. M. Greenwood, superintendent of the Kansas City schools, appears to us to have struck the right key in an address made to the Town and City Superintendents' convention, at Indianapolis, Ind., recently, when he more forcibly than politely described the great body of the American people as "literary mad." That expression was called out by the mania our people appear to have developed for reading what is commonly termed "cheap literature," although that is a misnomer, because almost all literature is cheap in these days, and the world's masterpieces can be procured at prices that once would have been deemed impossible.

By cheap "literature" Mr. Greenwood meant the carloads of trashy stuff that is dumped on our people without ceasing, and whose only claim to be read at all is that it is fictitious in character, is printed either in book or magazine form, but which is wholly wanting in those characteristics we are wont to associate with what we are accustomed to regard as the masterpieces of our language—written by men of older generations and which by their force and virile character were helpful in moulding the public thought and taste, in strengthening the intellect and in lifting the thoughts of men and women to higher ideals.

Take the average young man and woman of today, the readers who constitute the largest number of patrons of the public libraries in the larger cities. Of what does their reading mainly consist? If we take their selections from the libraries as a guide, and supplement that knowledge by their literary conversation, we are at no loss to know the general trend of their reading or of their literary education, so to speak How rare it is to hear these people call up the eminent men who adorned the closing years of the eighteenth century and the first half of the nineteenth! There were eminent novelists in those days, but the modern nobodies have displaced them Poets like Goldsmith, Thompson, Campbell and Collins are never heard of in fashionable latter-day literary circles. Who reads that galaxy of brilliant essayists, De Quincy, John Wilson, Addison, Burke, Lamb, and the rest? If known at all, it is only by name. Samuel Pepys and John Evelyn and James Boswell appear to have been forgotten. Hume, Gibbon and Lingard may be known by name, but what fashionable lady ever reads them?

Let there be a return to those earlier and better days in the public schools. Once the short masterpieces of the English writers were declaimed by the elocutionists. Today we get only sentimental or humorous rot. Truly, we have fallen on evil days in literary matters. The time has come when teachers should train the young to nobler ideals.

A Honesdale mother, says the Wayne Independent, who reared a large family of children informs us that she never had to call a physician for one of them. On being asked the secret of their good health she replied that she did not know unless it was because they were neither half fed nor half clothed. Besides performing her own household duties the best she could, she worked for others from two to four days a week, and her children, left alone, as a matter of their own choice, played nearly all the time out of doors in open air, Winter and Summer. The three mentioned facts combined doubtless explain why the children of this mother were never sick. Most of the human ills come from eating unwholesome and too much food and living and sleeping in rooms from which the air and sunshine is shut out. Dr. Freshair, Dr. Sunshine, Dr. Exercise, Dr. Scarcefood, and Dr. Littleclothing are great physicians.

Humanity displays some queer traits, Men are singularly constituted. For instance a certain man who was duly ordained by the church with which he affiliated and authorized to preach the gospel and administer the sacraments, and who was later appointed a chaplain in the navy, fell from grace and was dismissed from his chaplainship for drunkenness and licentiousness. His church instead of expelling him, sent him to a rural parish and endeavored to start him afresh. But he finally withdrew, admits that he has again been doing badly but throws all the blame for his misconduct upon the church, declaring that it imposed too severe restrictions. And he has actually written and published a book in which the story of his downfall is told and excused.

An exchange says: Half of the drowning accidents we read about would never occur if those involved in them knew how to swim. Any child can learn quickly and he should be given the chance. How valuable that knowledge may be sooner or later in life. The day will come, we hope, when swimming will be taught in all of our schools. Until then each parent should take it upon himself to protect the lives of his children by making sure they can save themselves from drowning. Go with the boy to a swimming place and help him. If you yourself do not know how to swim by all means learn. A full grown man might well be ashamed of himself if he does not know how to preserve his own life and the life of others in the water.

"Hell is full of peek-a-boo waists," says a minister in a neighboring town. Glad to know this. Our vacation will be spent in an interesting place, after all.

THE RIGHTS OF PEW OWNERS.

It is related that "Fighting Bob" Evans on one occasion went to a strange church in New York and was shown a pew at the moment when it was vacant. In due course of time the owner of the pew and his family entered and the former was annoyed at the presence of an intruder, not knowing the admiral. So he sent the bluff sailor this hinting note on his card: "I pay $400 for this pew." The admiral returned the card with this equally bluff answer: "You pay too —— much." That settled the incident, but not the legal rights of a pew renter.

This latter came up in the courts lately at Chamley. It seems one Mrs. Macklin, with her mother and a nephew, went to church one fine Sunday morning. A church warden named Ferrell approached her and said: "Mrs. Macklin, you will have to leave this pew." She asked why. "Because Mrs. Coombs has taken it," he replied. She said it was her husband's pew. The warden said the rent hadn't been paid. He invited Mrs. Macklin and her party to take seats in another pew; she wouldn't budge. "If you don't leave when Mrs. Coombs comes, I will take you by the shoulders and put you out," he said. Then he walked back to his own pew. She faced toward him and said twice—lifting her voice—that he was mistaken and that she had a right to sit there. "Please remember that this is the house of God," he suggested. "You don't seem to remember that yourself," she retorted. The service proceeded without further interruption.

Returning home, she told Mr. Macklin how shamefully she had been insulted. An action was brought against Warden Ferrell, and a small award of damages was obtained; but Mrs. Macklin didn't find herself a penny the richer for it. The appellate court was unconvinced and unsympathetic. "In the light of the facts," said Judge Charbonneau, "I cannot refrain from thinking not only that she was not insulted by the defendant, but that she took advantage of the occasion of a polite and legitimate notification, to create a disturbance in the church, which was only an incident of an unfortunate religious quarrel existing in the community, but for which defendant is not responsible. This court, coming to that conclusion, reverses the judgment and dismisses the action with costs."

When a man rents a house he would not like to come home some evening and find a stranger in possession. It is the same with a pew. Renting it carries with it the idea of personal and private ownership such as one feels for his dwelling house. He gets used to sitting in a particular pew. It becomes in time homelike and he can enjoy the services therein better than in a strange pew. It is natural for him to object to a stranger invading his private place of worship. Legally the pew is the renters and it is only by courtesy that an outsider can sit in it.

The less exclusive a church is the more that courtesy is extended. The mistake Bob Evans made was getting into an aristocratic pew. The mistake Mrs. Mackin made, perhaps, was the non-payment of rent. Happily both incidents are rare.

WEST TERRY.

John Frisbie and bride, formerly Miss Lena Williams of North Street, are houseeeping on his farm at this place.

Miss Hazel Wilson went to Monroeton to Dr. Haines, for treatment recently.

Mrs. John J. Frisbie has been engaged to teach our school the coming term.

The school directors of Terry township hired the following teachers for the schools named, Saturday, July 27: New Era, Harold Corson; Covey Hill, Rosanna Carroll; Spring Lake; Ella Coyle; Viall Hill; Ella Rouse, Rienzio; Meribah Eddy; Norway Ridge, Jennie Rouse; Terrytown, Mabel Fassett; West Terry, Mrs. Lena Frisbie.

MILAN.

Mrs. George Page and Mrs. Seth Morley spent Friday in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Page of Athens, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Page last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dettra and children of Athens, were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dettra, Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Dettra was taken suddenly ill Sunday, but is better at this writing.

The Misses Munroe of Pittston, are visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Henry Loomis and children, Harry and Carrie, are visiting friends in Buffalo

ROME.

The ice cream social held Wednesday evening at Dr. William Rice's was well attended. Miss Georgiana Study recited. Proceeds $12.17.

Miss Nellie Barnes of Orwell, is visiting Miss Mollie Rice.

The ladies' auxilliary of the Packer hospital met Monday evening with Mrs. Lizzie Powers to make arrangements for the ice cream social to be held in the parlors of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday, Aug. 6.

G. M. Sickler is repainting Richard McCabe's house

Miss Alta Fredenburg is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Coolbaugh.

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Miss Nellie Fitzgerald of Buffalo, is visiting Towanda relatives

Miss Agnes Schultz of Buffalo, is the guest of Towanda friends.

Miss Velma Potter of Buffalo, is visiting at L. R. Frost's, York avenue.

Gordon Ellis of New York city, is visiting Francis Holmes, York avenue.

Miss Anna Fellbush is visiting friends at Wyalusing and Laceyville.

Mrs. Ross Rahm of Ashley, Pa., is visiting at J. M. Rahm's, Main street.

Miss Rose Corbett is spending a few days at the Keating camp along the tow path.

Fred Mitten and family have returned from a driving trip to Wyalusing and Herrick.

Rev. J. M. Johnston of Altoona, is visiting his son, George G. Johnston, York avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sherman of Buffalo, are visiting relatives in Towanda and Burlington.

Mrs. C. S. Allen of Millport, N. Y., is visiting her son, Rev. H. B. Allen, of North Towanda.

J. H. Simmons is enjoying a several weeks' vacation at Shunk, Eagles Mere, and Hillsgrove.

Henry C. Porter, Jr., has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives in New York city.

Mrs. Harry Stacey and child of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Stacey in Troy.

Mrs. Woodward Leavenworth of Wilkes-Barre, is the guest of Mrs. E. O. Macfarlane, Poplar street.

Mrs. C. Manville Pratt and son, David, have gone to Fon Du Lac, Wis., to spend a couple of months.

Misses Edna Dyer and Mary Maney of Athens, are the guests of Miss Fannie Rooker, Locust avenue.

Dr. Benjamin of Philadelphia, and Miss Nellie Stroud of Athens, spent Thursday with friends in Towanda.

Mrs Emma Rockwell and Miss Nellie Rockwell of Wilkes-Barre, are guests of Mrs. Edbert Ward at the jail.

Mrs. D. W. Moore and family of Philadelphia, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Frutchey, North Main street.

Misses Leah Eilenberger and Cora McClen are the guests of Miss Mable Haney at Rushville, Susquehanna county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Black, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Ott, and Miss Mattie Black spent Thursday floating down the river.

Mrs. Joseph Hoagland and Paul Hoagland of Scranton, are guests at the home of John H. Baker, on Thomas street.

Dr. George M. Kintner of Mehoopany, was among the out of town doctors who witnessed the execution of Johnson Thursday.

Dr. E. E. Stack has returned to his home in Elmira, after spending a few days as the guest of Dr. L. T. Connolly, Huston street.

Mrs. Theodore G. Kroening and Miss Kathryn Fitzgerald of Buffalo, are visiting their father, David Fitzgerald, of Porter Place.

William W. LaMent of Manton, Mich., formerly for many years a resident of Towanda, is visiting his son F. C. LaMent, and friends here.

Prof. Fred Spalding and daughter, Aurelia, of Columbia, Mo., are spending the month of August with his brother, I. P. Spalding, York avenue.

Miss Theresa Piollet, a nurse in the Gynecean hospital of Philadelphia, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Piollet, Wysox.

Miss Fanny Rooker, a nurse in the Williamsport city hospital, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rooker, Locust avenue.

Miss Edith Decker, a nurse in the Gynacean hospital of Philadelphia, is enjoying a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Decker, York avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bartlett of Wysox and Miss Rosa Pipher of Athens, visited at George McCracken's, at Myersburg, Sunday and attended church in the evening.

Hon. E. A. Strong and Miss Elizabeth Strong of Wyalusing, and their guests, Miss Blanche Smith of Orange, N. J., and Miss Virgelia Taylor, of Westfield, N. J., spent Thursday with Towanda friends.

Miss L. Ethel Gray, instructor of vocal music of the Cumberland Valley Normal who has been spending a few weeks in Troy and Sylvania, left this week for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. M. S. Wooster, in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. George McClen and son, Reno, of Warren., Pa., are guests at the home of Mr. McClen's brother, S. M. McClen. They made the trip of 250 miles from Warren to Towanda in an automobile with a party of friends who have gone on to central New York.

George Hill, M. E. Horton and C. L. Tracy are enjoying an auto trip to Chatham, Ont., in Mr. Hill's new Dolson car. Mrs. Lucy M. Hill will accompany the party as far as Wayland, N. Y., where she will visit relatives. E. F. Kizer wil join the party at Buffalo.

There is a movement on foot among the justices of the peace of Luzerne county to refuse to take appeal cases unless the costs are paid in advance. They claim that some of these cases are never heard from, and consequently they receive no pay for their services.

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LAQUIN.

Harry L. Griggs spent Sunday with his wife at Horn Brook.

Misses Cyntha and Maude Sunne of Sidney, N. Y., are visiting relatives in this place.

Mrs. William Kanally underwent three operations at the Williamsport hospital last Thursday. Latest reports state that she is doing fine.

Lew Dunfee of Monroeton spent Saturday with his cousin, E. J. Dunfee.

R. A. Smith and wife returned home from Towanda Sunday and were accompanied by Mr. Smith's sister, Mildred.

Joe Deegan spent a few days last week visiting his father, J. F. Deegan.

A very large crowd witnessed the ball game between Laquin and Ulster Saturday.

Georgianna Scribner left Monday to resume her work in Towanda after spending the week with her parents here.

John Smith spent Sunday in Towanda.

Fred Trowbridge left Monday for a week's visit at his home in Jenningsville, Pa.

Mrs. Will Harding of Athens, visited her sister, Mrs. B. Pettinger, last week.

Quite a number of the town people have been camping at Sun Fish pond for a few weeks.

Archie Morse and wife spent Sunday in LeRoy, guests of relatives.

Thad. Wilcox spent Sunday with his brother, I. Wilcox, of this place.

Mrs. Charles Arey and daughter, Mrs. Levi Carrington are visiting in New Era.

Mr. Jones and wife of Towanda, attended the ball game Saturday and while here were guests of D. D. Harbot.

Will Caldwell and Ed. H. Mitchell of Powell, were Laquin visitors Saturday.

POTTERVILLE.

A. C. Cook was with his uncle, Dr. Cook, at LeRaysville, who is critically ill, part of last week.

N. P. Chaffee of Athens, a former resident of this place, was a guest of his brother and other relatives her recently.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chaffee, recently, a daughter.

Mrs. Pitcher of Warren Center, was a guest at George Lung's last week.

Miss Flora Wolcott of Windham, visited relatives in this section last week.

Mrs. Williams and family are over on the farm at Neath during haying.

Lester Barton and bride were guests of Mrs. Mary Barton last Thursday.

William Carey of Passaic, N. J., visited at R. S. Beckwith's recently.

MAC.

Miss Blanche Benninger of Granville Center, was a guest at C. F. Grennell's a few days last week.

Miss Cecile Alexander has returned to her home in Burlington.

Miss Dora Lane is stopping with Mrs. Bustin at Saco.

Mrs. C. F. Grennell and Mrs. Leslie Mingos visited Mrs. Murray Schouton at Codding Saturday.

Mrs. Annie Campbell of Burlington, is stopping with Mrs. Wayland Lane.

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TOWANDA, PA., AUGUST 1, 1907.

L. R. Frost has had his two houses on Mechanic street repainted.

The opera house at Honesdale is being repaired and improved.

Huckleberry pickers in Wayne county have organized a union.

Sparks' dog and pony circus is to exhibit at Sayre, on August 8.

Miss Sophia Merritt of Mehoopany, is visiting relatives in Towanda.

Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weaver of Powell, a daughter.

Z. L. Morgan of Luthers Mills, was transacting business in town Tuesday.

H. Sattler's store front has been beautified by a coat of light green paint.

The great Bradford county fair is the next important thing on the program.

The Universalist Sunday school picnics at Steven's grove Tuesday, August 6

M. Hendelman has returned from Mt. Clemens, Mich., much improved in health.

Born, July 27, to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fawcett, a daughter, Reta Virginia Fawcett.

Born, a daughter to County Superintendent and Mrs. H. S. Putnam, Sunday, July 28.

Mrs. A. R. Brutzman is slowly recovering from injuries received in a fall some time ago.

A. T. Lilley was down from LeRoy Saturday to preside at the Bradford County Historical society meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ruggles went Monday to Clifton Springs, N. Y., where Mrs. Ruggles will spend a few weeks.

Miss Olive Miller entertained the Constanter Contineus club at her home in East Towanda Thursday evening.

The Dye and Bresee families and their friends picnicked at the mouth of Durell creek, near Standing Stone, Thursday.

G. C. Hollon is beautifying his Mechanic street property with a new coat of paint. F. D. Bixby is the artist wielding the brush.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beach, at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Jones, East Athens, Tuesday morning, a son.

It is estimated that the Elks during their convention in Philadelphia spent a million dollars in that city. Hotels, boarding houses and saloons each got their share.

Frank Vanness of North Towanda, fell on Thursday from a load of hay, spraining his wrist and injuring his shoulder. Dr. T. Ben Johnson attended him.

There will be an ice cream festival at the Grange hall, Wysox, Thursday evening, Aug. 1, for the benefit of the Sunday school. Everybody come and help the cause.

Rev. J. M. Johnston of Altoona, who is visiting his son, George G. Johnston, in Towanda, delivered a splendid sermon from the pulpit of the First Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning.

William Boland and John Griffin of Towanda, and John Crimmins of Dushore, left Monday for New York city, and on Tuesday set sail for the British Isles, where they will spend a couple of months in sight seeing.

Commodore C. T. Kirby and party, who are on a boating trip down the Susquehanna, stopped at Meshoppen on Saturday and were joined by Mr. and Mrs. T. Reed Braund, who will accompany the party on down the river.

George H. Boyle, organist and choir master of the First Presbyterian church, Towanda, Pa., played a selection on the organ at Robie street Methodist church last evening.—The Morning Chronicle, Halifax, N. S., July 22.

The Bradford Evening Star is giving pitcher "Jack" Cotter all kinds of praise for his work with the Bradford team. The Star says he pitches balls with diamonds on them, and that he is one of the best tossers in the business.

C. P. Welles treasurer of the Five County Volunteer Firemens' association, returned Friday from the Galeton convention. Mr. Welles is one of the most enthusiastic firemen in the association and he has been present at every one of the 12 conventions held by the association since its organization.

W. M. Beardsley was down from Dushore Monday, and in speaking of the prosecution of the men who killed some wild fowl out of season, says that "the ducks are not all dead yet." The celebrated duck cases have been appealed to the Sullivan county courts, and much interest is being manifested in the outcome.

Miss Josephine B. Jettles, who with her parents lived on Fourth street, Towanda for many years, has returned to her home at Sayre, after a four weeks' visit in New York city with her uncles, I. and S. Loewy, and other relatives and friends. The Messrs. Loewy are known to Towandians, having resided at Towanda and Athens about nine years ago.

TOWANDA AND ATHENS PLAY SNAPPY BASE BALL.

Locals Did the Trick for the Athenians Six to Three.

Towanda defeated Athens Thursday afternoon at baseball on the East side grounds by the score of 6-3. The game was one of the best that has been seen in Towanda in a long time, and showed great improvement on the part of the local team. The star performer was Northrop, the twirler from Monroeton, who was on the rubber for Towanda. He had 18 strike outs to his credit besides having the honor of winning his own game by sending the winning run accross the plate by his triple after Mathews had singled. Mahoney pitched a good game for Athens, but proved to be rather easy when hits meant runs. In the eighth, with the score a tie, the Towanda swatters found his delivery and pounded him for three singles and a triple, all of which sent in three runs.

The score by innings: R H E
Towanda .2 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 x—6 9 7
Athens ...0 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—3 6 4

Summary: Two base hits: Bazzett, Weaver, Wagner, Lawlor. Three base hits: Northrop, Kinner. Base on balls: off Northrop, 0; off Mahoney, 1. Struck out by Northrop: 18; by Mahoney, 11. Left on bases: Towanda, 9; Athens, 3. Hit by pitcher, Kline, Northrop. Wild pitch, Mahoney. Stolen bases: Towanda, 3; Athens, 3. Batteries: Northrop and Bazzett for Towanda; Mahoney and Mee for Athens. Time of game: one hour and 50 minutes. Umpire: Frank McQueen of Ulster.

Dr. Houghton's Experience.

Rev. O. A. Houghton, D.D., pastor of the Towanda Methodist Episcopal church, who was spiritual adviser for Charles Johnson, has had considerable experience in that line of work. Dr. Houghton was spiritual adviser to Kemmell, the celebrated New York state murderer who was the first man to be electrocuted after the adoption of the electric chair as a means of execution in that state. Dr. Houghton accompanied Kemmell to the death chair in the Auburn state prison, and was very close to him when the current which blotted out his life was turned on. Hanging and electrocution as a means of execution are about the same, the reverend gentleman states, there being but very little to choose between, death being sudden, bloodless and apparently painless either way.

No Preaching Services During August.

At a meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church last evening it was decided that there should be no preaching services during the month of August, the period of Rev. Dr. Houghton's vacation. A committee of three from the official board, S. H. Smith, Esq., George L. Fairchild and George Ridgeway, together with three ladies of the Aid society, yet to be chosen will compose a committee of power to act in the matter of cleaning and repairing the church. The Sunday school board will decide whether or not to have Sunday school during August.

Borough Must Haul Water.

William Maxwell, Esq., attorney for the Towanda Water Works company, Thursday served written notice on the Borough authorities forbidding them to use water from the company's system on the work of the Main street pavement. Borough Attorney Lane was unsuccessful in his efforts to negotiate for the use of water from the hydrants, and teams are now engaged in hauling barels of the much needed liquid from the river.

Has Position in Michigan.

Lewis Schoonover, for the past 26 years, an employee of the James H. Hawes Manufacturing company, and for 20 years a resident of Towanda, left Sunday for Manistee, Michigan, where he has a position in the toy factory. He secured his position through Ed. N. Moyer formerly of this place. He was accompanied by his wife.

At Kerrick's Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Gillette, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gillette, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Moore and son, Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gorham, Marguerite Buttles, Mrs. James Muir and daughter, Elizabeth of Towanda, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Cranmer of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Knapp, and son, Charles of Elmira, are spending a season at Kerrick's camp.

Sold by the Sheriff.

Sheriff Griffin on Friday sold at public sale, in the court house, a piece of land containing 60 acres, more or less, located in Wells township, and seized and taken into execution at the suit of The Huber Manufacturing Co., vs. Burt Polk. R. A. Mercur, Esq., bid in the property for J. A. Rose, the purchase price being $200.

Surprise Party.

An agreeable surprise was given Miss Charlotte Mouillesseaux by a large number friends on Thursday evening at her home on Fourth street. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and dancing and all had a very enjoyable time.

Celebrated Birthday.

Mrs. E. A. White at her home on North Main street, Thursday, entertained at dinner, Hon. W. T. Davies, George Blackburn, and William Dittrich, in honor of her father, Hon. E. Reed Myer, who was 89 years old that day.

Reporter-Journal small ads bring results.

NEWS OF THE COUNTY SEAT.

FOR AN "OLD HOME WEEK."

James Macfarlane in Far Off Seattle, Favors One in 1908.

The following letter from James Macfarlane, located in far off Seattle, Washington, is self explanatory:—

Seattle, Wash., July 22, 1907.
Towanda Daily Review,
Towanda, Penn.
Gentlemen:—

I note with great interest a move on foot for the "Homecoming of Bradford County People," next year. I think it is a great idea and one which wants to be worked up from now on, I for one will be on hand.

Out here in the great state of Washington, one runs across former Bradford county people every day, and as the rates East during the Summer are very reasonable, I see nothing to hinder a large number of those who love old Bradford county from making the trip. I will make a brief list of some of the Bradford county folks I have met in this section:

Prof. Almon Fuller, University of Washington, Seattle.
Henry W. Lung, Burke building, Seattle.
George W. McCauley, empire building, Seattle.
H. C. Gates, Bailey building, Seattle.
Mrs. Colton.
Mrs. Buchannan.
Prof. Spencer.
Mrs. Catherine Pratt Collins, Lumber Exchange building, Seattle.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Childs, care West & Wheeler, Seattle.
Eugene W. Davis, Sr. and Jr., Everett, Wash.
F. W. Frost, Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Wash.
Mr. Rockwell, lawyer, Pioneer building, Seattle.
Mr. Morley, jeweler, First avenue, Seattle, Wash.

Many more names could doubtless be obtained from a little correspondence by Bradford county people to their friends in this section. Old Bradford county is well represented in the legal business and university professions in this state, and eventually we expect to have a Bradford county society.

Here's hoping we will have a grand old rally from Maine to Alaska.

I remain,
Yours for old Bradford County,
JAMES MACFARLANE.

HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Charles Shulman Must Answer Assault and Desertion Charges.

Tuesday afternoon the troubles of the Blostein and Shulman families of South Waverly, were given publicity in Justice Edminstor's court, and as a result Charles Shulman was held to the court of quarter sessions, in the sum of $250 bail, says the Athens News.

There were two charges against Shulman, one for desertion upon which he waived examination and the bail was fixed at $100, and one for assault. He had a hearing on the assault charge, the prosecution introduced evidence, but the defense did not offer any. The justice held him on that charge under bail to the amount of $150.

Shulman was unable to furnish bail, so was taken to Towanda to wait in the county jail until the grand jury passes on his case.

Shulman has been married only three years and during that time, it is said, has deserted his wife twice. Mrs. Shulman is a sister of the Blosteins, and he claims that she insists upon living with them, and he doesn't like it, so he leaves her occasionally

Last Sunday night Shulman became enraged because his wife was holding a child of one of the Blosteins, who resided in Ithaca, and who was visiting his brothers here, and when he was alone with her he began to pound her. She screamed and her brothers rushed into the part of the house occupied by Shulman and interfered.

New Hotel for Elmira.

Within a year Elmira will have a new metropolitan hotel, which is going to be erected at a cost of $250,000. The investment will be made by Elmira capitalists, who have been working on the matter for the past six months. The plans call for a nine story solid cement structure, fireproof and modern in every detail. The hotel will occupy one whole block and every foot of space will be utilized from the basement to the roof. The lighting, heating and power plant for the proposed new structure will be separate from the hotel and in keeping with the magnificent structure.

Postal Laws Violated.

The postoffice authorities at Scranton have been watching the mails there for violations of that section of the postal laws which declares that no written messages shall be sent as anything but first class matter and as a result it is stated that 75 violations have already been found, mainly upon cases where persons have written short notices on the margins of newspapers and mailed the newspapers. Each will be arrested and fined $10.

Long Driving Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gartside and Miss Ermena Gartside of Wynona, Minn., arrived in Towanda Saturday evening, en route to LeRaysville. The party have covered the entire distance from Wynona to Towanda driving overland with a team and surrey, making the trip by easy stages, driving on nice days and stopping at hotels during inclement weather. The trip has been made without accident or special incident.

TWO YOUNG MEN SHOT

First Ward Came Near Having Murder Saturday Night.

ITALIAN CHARGED WITH DEED.

Grant Vanderpool Shot Through Right Hand, Bullet Grazing Side, and Sam Kintner Slightly Wounded in Ankle —Police Make Raid.

Towanda's First ward came within an ace of being the scene of a murder late Saturday night. Grant Vanderpool was shot through the right hand, the bullet after passing through the hand ploughed a deep gash in his right side and lodged in the clothing, and Sam Kintner was slightly wounded in the ankle. That Vanderpool was not killed or fatally wounded is truly a miracle. Patsy Alfleeto, an Italian, is in jail, charged with the shooting.

Story of the Shooting.

Alfleeto, the man charged with the attempted murder, has been managing a store in the Arcade block for several months. About a week ago he moved into the North section of the "red row" on South Main street, in the First ward, and there took up his residence. About 12:15 Saturday night, a party of young men en route to their home in the township, were passing the "red row" and Afletto claims they tried to gain an entrance to his house.

They passed on and at the corner of Barclay street, just as the party turned the corner, two shots were fired from near the corner of the Record building, after which a man was seen to run out of the shadow and cross the S. and N. Y. tracks. Sam Kintner who was in the lead of the party, after the shots had been fired, felt a smarting in his ankle and an examination showed that a bullet had passed through his trousers, stocking and shoe top, and had cut a furrow in the flesh.

Vanderpool's Close Call.

Grant Vanderpool, who was considerable distance behind Kintner, had both hands in his coat pockets. Before the reports of the pistol died away he was yelling with pain. There was a big hole through his right hand and something was hurting his side. He started for Dr. Woodburn's office, and on reaching there an examination was made. The bullet had struck the back of his right hand, smashed the bones and passed straight through, ploughing its way through the flesh of the right side and finally lodging in the clothing. Had Vanderpool not had his hand in his pocket, the bullet would have penetrated his side and probably found a vital spot. There was a big trail of blood leading from where Vanderpool was shot, up Main street to Dr. Woodburn's, where his wound were dressed.

Police Make a Raid.

The red light was turned on shortly after the shooting, and Officers Allen and Benedict were soon on the scene. They arrested Alfleeto, Tom Boliska, May Cronk, and Nettie Welsh, and a strange American who was found in the "red row." They were all placed in the lock-up, and Sunday morning Burgess Foyle fined Afleeto $10 for disorderly conduct, which he paid, each of the girls $10 which they couldn't pay and were sent to jail for 30 days each, Boliska $10 which he paid, and the American was let off on a suspended sentence.

Chief Miller and Constable Hollon made an investigation of the shooting and have learned that Afleeto had left his house by a back door about five minutes before the shots were fired, and was seen going in the direction of the Record building. In Afleeto's bed, Chief Miller found a new 38 calibre revolver with two empty shells in it, which he took as evidence. A warrant sworn to by Grant Vanderpool, charging Afleeto with attempted murder, felonious maiming and wounding and shooting, was issued by 'Squire Meredith and when Afleeto paid his $10 for disorderly conduct and was about ready to walk away he was re-arrested on the new warrant. He was taken before 'Squire Meredith where in default of $300 bail he was committed to the county jail to await a hearing

Alfleeto Known to the Police.

Alfleeto, the man under arrest, charged with the shooting, is known to the police. Not very long ago Chief Miller relieved him of a revolver which he was in the habit of carrying. Investigation shows where Alfleeto secured the revolver which he is accused of shooting Kintner and Vanderpool with, and it is claimed when he ordered it, left instructions for it to be delivered to him at his store, as he did not want to run the risk of having it taken from him by the police.

Patsy Alfleeto, the Italian, arrested charged with shooting Grant Vanderpool and Sam Kintner near the "red row" Saturday night was given a hearing before 'Squire Meredith Monday afternoon. After hearing the evidence of many witnesses, the 'Squire held Patsy to the grand jury on both charges, and fixed the bail at $250 in each case. In default of bail the defendant was remanded to jail. An effort will be made to secure a bondsman for him today.

It has been a long time since a local emporium of justice entertained such a throng and had such interesting doings as were pulled off on the afternoon of Monday. The nature of the case, and the seriousness of the charge against Alfleeto was enough to arouse more than ordinary interest and when the hearing opened, every available inch of room in the justice court was taken. The atmosphere was something like 700 above Green's Landing and there was not a fan or a gallon of ice water within three blocks of the place.

District Attorney Mills represented the commonwealth, while David E. Kaufman, Esq., defended Alfleeto. Any number of witnesses were called both for the commonwealth and the defense, and every one had some important evidence to offer.

Perhaps the most interesting and entertaining witness called was May Howard, who was arrested at the same time with Alfleeto, and who was given 30 days in the county jail for not having $10 to pay as a fine when given a hearing before Burgess Foyle. May was mad, and when she is mad she is a desperate flirt. On direct examination by District Attorney Mills, she would become exasperated at his questions and one time she darned him right out loud. She was becomingly attired in a cream colored suit with white slippers and stockings and as she fanned herself with Mr. Mills' safor straw after passing through the severe examination she presented a picture which was not half bad to look upon. Nettie Walsh, May's assistant housekeeper who is also doing 30 days was also a star witness for the defense, and had Alfleeto a few more testifiers like them, he could have plead guilty, the unwritten law, justifiable homicide, self defense or most any old thing and proved it.

Attorney Kaufman made a very logical plea for the discharge of his client and was followed by the district attorney who asked that Alfleeto be held to the grand jury. 'Squire Meredith deliberated but a brief time and decided the case was too serious to be disposed of in a justice court and so passed it up to the grand jury.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Matters Disposed of This Week—Watch Purloiner Pleads Guilty.

Several matters were disposed of by the court this week, arbitrators in horse case return finding, common scold settles, and a subpoena in divorce has been awarded, besides the sentencing of watch purloiner.

Plead Guilty to Stealing Watch.

Ralph Sprano charged with stealing a watch from Frank Wilcox of Sayre, plead guilty to the charge, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $10, cost of prosecution and undergo imprisonment in the county jail for a period of 30 days. He will be out in 60 days, or thereabouts.

Common Scold Let Down Easy.

Emily Osborn of Athens, charged by Olive Creigh with being a common scold, pleaded guilty and was let off easy by paying costs of prosecution or giving security for the payment to Sheriff Griffin.

Finding of the Arbitrators.

W. F. Dittrich, W. J. McCabe and Dr. J. D. Mercur, the arbitrators in the case of E. L. Johnson vs. Holbrook, Cabbot & Rollins, and the P. B. & E. railroad to recover on the loss of a horse which was so badly injured that it had to be killed, returned a finding in favor of the plaintiff against Holbrook, Cabbot & Rollins for $60 and in favor of the defendant P., B. & E. company against the plaintiff Mr. Johnson, the railroad company not being held responsible for the accident.

Arbitrators Appointed.

E. J. Ayers, H. L. Terry and G. L. Pendleton have been appointed arbitrators in the case of George M. Hoffman vs. John E. Dodge. A hearing wil be had in the case in Towanda on August 29.

Subpoena in Divorce.

A subpoena in divorce has been awarded in the case of Clara S. Blash vs. Edward Blash.

ECHOES OF THE CONVENTION.

Firemen Had Exciting Experience at Galeton—Bache's Time.

One of the Bache runners of Wellsboro, at the Galeton convention last week had an exciting experience. He with several other firemen were on their way to the station when they passed a lady with a baby carriage and a pug dog. The gallant fireman reached down and picked the dog up in his arms. The canine resented the familiarity and stuck his teeth into the fireman's chin. He quickly threw the dog head first into the carriage. This enraged the lady and she landed the fireman a blow on the head, knocking him out from under his hat and at the same time planted a well directed kick on his anatomy.

In the hose race the Baches of Wellsboro made it in 29 seconds, or 1 3-5 seconds faster than has been made at any firemen's convention this year. As the convention will be held at Wellsboro next year the Baches will not be permitted to run and it is hoped that other towns in the county will get good teams in the races.

Auto As a Mail Carrier.

For the purpose of making a test, C. F. Hartman, letter carrier on Berwick rural route No. 3, made the trip over his route in an automobile one day last week. The route covers a distance of 20.9 miles, and is covered by the carrier with a horse and light wagon in six hours. With the automobile the trip was made in one hour and 48 miutes, 59 stops being made to collect and deliver mail.

WHEN BEN GOODENOUGH WIELDED THE PEN.

Mansfield Advertiser Editor Writes Interestingly of Towandian.

The Mansfield Advertiser has installed a new press and added other up-to-date machinery to the newspaper plant. In last week's issue which contained a reminiscent story of the ups and downs of the Advertiser, the editor tells the following interesting story about Ben Goodenough, then pen pusher on the paper but now a rural mail carrier out of Towanda:

"What is now Reuben W. Dann's barber shop was then the scene of operations, and there was an abundance of room—so much room that the town's 'temple of justice' was also located there, 'Ben' Goodenough, then editor of the paper, being the dispenser of 'Bin's,' in large and copious potions, as occasion required. 'Ben,' at last advices, was serving his Uncle Samuel as rural mail carrier on a route running from the Towanda postoffice. He was a fellow of infinite jest, an enthusiastic musician, an excellent local paragrapher, and a good printer. His friends in Mansfield were legion, and though his hair now is whitened by the frosts of nearly three score and ten Winters, those remaining here wish for him many more years of life and happiness. Surfeited, at times, with trouble that would have shaken many a weaker heart, it rolled off 'Ben' like water off a duck's back. Not that he was heartless—far from it. He was philosophical. He believed in taking things as they came, and making the best of them."

Banquet Saturday Evening.

The G. U. O. of O. F. gave a banquet Saturday evening at Jacob Ball's, Poplar street, in honor of their united brothers of Waverly. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all; at 11 o'clock a sumptuous supper was served which the guests fully appreciated. The following gentlemen were the committee in charge: Albert Powell, Jacob Ball, Wiliam Cooper, Nathaniel Johnson, and Robert Powell.

Saw His Fiancee Drown.

Coroner James Stein is seriously ill at his home in Scranton, the illness following the shock of seeing his fiancee, Miss Elizabeth Hoffman, drowned in Lake Winola last Sunday. Coroner Stein had planned on attending the execution of Charles Johnson in Towanda, on Thursday, but his conditon was such that he could not leave his bed.

ECLIPSE OF THE MOON.

Magnificent Phenomena Distinctly Seen in Towanda.

Observers in every part of the American continent had an opportunity of viewing Wednesday night, one of the most interesting of the celestial phenomena, an eclipse of the moon. At one minute before 9 the edge of the moon began to darken slightly. At 4 minutes past 10 the moon began to enter the earth's shadow, and at 41 minutes past 12 she completely emerged from the shadow and the eclipse was over.

The eclipse was eagerly anticipated in Towanda, judging by the number of telephone messages that were sent in to The Review office in the early afternoon and evening inquiring the exact moment at which the eclipse would begin.

As an astromonical spectacle the eclipse was perfect. Although there were scurrying clouds in the sky, they interfered very little, if at all, with perfect observation. About 11 o'clock the eclipse appeared to have reached its highest point of development. Then the shadow of the earth with its polar outline of our globe's hemisphere was as perfect in its contour and as easily discernable to the naked eye as that on an ordinary globe. It then appeared at the apex of our satelite, covering its face in the semblance of a skull cap.

It has seldom in this latitude, however, been more clearly defined nor could there well be a more beautiful night for witnessing it.

News of the Register's Office.

The will of R. L. Crimmins, late of the township of Asylum, deceased, admitted to probate. The will of Jennie E. Spaulding, late of the borough of Sayre, deceased, admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Harley G. Spalding. Letters of administration upon the estate of Olive A. Tracy, late of the township of Smithfield, deceased, granted to E. G. Kingsley. The will of Cassius D. Holcomb, late of the township of LeRoy, deceased, admitted to probate. The will of John W. Hill, late of the township of Orwell, deceased, admitted to probate. The will of Harriet Bristol, late of the borough of Sayre, deceased, admitted to probate.

Sold Valuable Dog.

John E. Graham has sold and shipped to James Califf of Gladys, W. Va., his bulldog "Di." This is one of the most valuable dogs in this section and Mr. Graham received a good price for him.

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TO DESTROY A TRUST

Government Files a Petition Against Powder Combine.

UNDER THE SHERMAN ACT.

Du Pont de Nemours and Rand-Laflin Companies Charged With Conducting Absolute Monopoly of Trade—Receivership Is Suggested.

Washington, July 30.—The government filed in the United States circuit court for the district of Delaware at Wilmington, Del., a petition against E. I. Du Pont de Nemours & Co., the E. I. Du Pont de Nemours Powder company of New Jersey and twenty-four other corporations and seventeen individuals connected with the twenty-six corporations which are made defendants in the petition.

The petition relates that all of the defendants are engaged in interstate trade and commerce in gunpowder and other high explosives and are violating the act of July 2, 1890, commonly known as the Sherman antitrust act.

SENATOR HENRY A. DU PONT.

[One of the alleged trust's leading spirits.]

It seeks to prevent and restrain the unlawful existing agreements, contracts, combinations and conspiracies in restraint of such trade and commerce, to prevent and restrain the attempts on the part of the defendants to monopolize such trade and commerce and to dissolve the existing monopolies therein.

The court is asked to determine whether public interests will be better subserved by the appointment of receivers to take possession of the property of the alleged trust with a view to bringing about conditions in trade and commerce that will be in harmony with the law. The prayer in this respect is identical with that in the so called tobacco trust petition.

Trust Started In 1872.

It is stated in the petition that in 1872 all except three of the concerns selling high explosives in the United States organized with the object of regulating prices at which such commodities should be sold and of driving the other corporations out of business by unfair competitive methods. This association enjoyed an uninterrupted operation, it is said, until 1881, when a new agreement was entered into with the object of preventing new manufacturers from engaging in the powder business. In the meantime the three "would be" competitors are declared to have been compelled to join the monopoly. It is shown that there were succeeding associations in 1886, in 1891 and in 1896, each with the same general object and composed of the same members and their successors. The 1896 association continued until 1902, and during the whole period of time from 1872 until 1902 the members of these associations, it is asserted, by various unfair business methods forced substantially all competitors out of the powder business until at the latter date they controlled 95 per cent thereof.

The petition recites many of the operations of the so called powder trust leading up to the organization in May, 1903, under the laws of the state of New Jersey, of the E. I. Du Pont de Nemours Powder company, with a capital stock of $50,000,000, as a holding company for the purpose of acquiring the capital stocks of every corporation in the United States engaged in manufacturing and dealing in high explosives. This New Jersey holding company, it is alleged, did acquire control of the companies operating in high explosives in the United States until all the business of shipping and selling such commodities of substantially seventy companies, which had from time to time since 1872 been separate competing concerns, is now being carried on by three gigantic operating companies—namely, the Eastern Dynamite company, E. I. Du Pont de Nemours Powder Company of Delaware and the Laflin & Rand Powder company.

The defendants, it is alleged, already have a complete monopoly of the production and distribution of smokeless ordnance powder, in addition to the monopoly of 95 per cent of the production and distribution of high explosives other than smokeless powder.

The government asks in its prayer for relief that these operating companies be enjoined and restrained from operating and engaging in interstate commerce in the United States and that receivers be appointed to take over their business.

Election Day In Manila.

Manila, July 30.—The election proceeded quietly and practically a full vote was polled. No disorders have been reported.

PEACE PALACE BEGUN.

M. Nelidoff Lays Cornerstone of Andrew Carnegie's Gift.

The Hague, July 30.—The foundation stone of the Andrew Carnegie palace of peace was laid at Zorgvliet in the midst of the wooded park stretching from The Hague to Scheveningen by M. Nelidoff, president of the second peace conference. The inauguration of this monument, which the American millionaire is raising to commemorate and carry on the work of the international peace conferences, was marked by considerable ceremony. Practically all the delegates attending the present peace conference, a number of high court officials, the members of the states general and delegations from numerous civic and municipal bodies were grouped around the stone which, when the structure is completed, will form the corner of the grand hall of justice.

M. Nelidoff spoke at length on the "Cult of Peace," saying in closing:

"It is Andrew Carnegie, inspired by the great humanitarian idea springing therefrom and the good it promises to the world, who conceived the idea of dedicating to the cult a special edifice which he is fully justified in calling a 'temple of peace.' Let us wish that this cult spread more and more, both among governments and peoples, and that the monumental tower which will crown this edifice will, like a lighthouse, point out to nations the road of right and justice."

STRIKE LEADER ARRESTED.

Teofilo Petriella In Jail For Carrying Concealed Weapons.

Hibbing, Minn., July 30.—Teofilo Petriella, the active leader of the ore strike, was placed under arrest on the charge of carrying concealed weapons and was confined in the Hibbing jail. Petriella and Acting President Mahoney of the Western Federation of Miners were driving toward Chisholm, and when near the Sellers mine the guard ordered them to stop. Instead of pulling in his horse Petriella whipped up and tried to pass. The guard fired several shots into the air, and Petriella was instantly surrounded by several deputies. He was arrested and when searched was found to have a revolver and $900 in money on his person. He was held on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. Mahoney offered to allow himself to be searched, but he carried no weapons. The greatest penalty that can be inflicted on Petriella is a small fine.

The strikers made no attempt to gather about the jail where Petriella was confined. Mahoney returned to Hibbing after his companion had been arrested.

Petriella was released on $1,000 bail after being bound over for the action of the grand jury in September.

SWALLOWS THREE QUARTERS

Hospital Surgeons Remove Two From Girl's Throat; X Ray For Other One.

New York, July 30.—Hurrying to a grocery, Maggie Crowley, a negress, twenty years old, of 239 West Sixty-first street, carried three silver twenty-five cent pieces in her mouth. On the way up San Juan hill she tossed her head, the quarters slipped down her throat, and she fell to the sidewalk in convulsions.

Men ran to aid her, but it was not until "Big Ben" Connor, a terror to the hill evildoers, caught the girl in his arms and slapped her vigorously on the back that she was afforded any relief. Still half strangled, she was taken to Roosevelt hospital, where the surgeons removed two of the quarters. The X ray will be used in an endeavor to discover the whereabouts of the other one.

Yale Missionaries Drown In China.

New Haven, Conn., July 30.—Secretary Anson P. Stokes, Jr., of Yale university received a cable from Kuling, China, stating that Rev. Warren B. Seabury, Yale 1900, and Rev. Arthur S. Mann, 1899, have both been drowned. The latter met his death in attempting to rescue Mr. Seabury. Seabury was connected with the Yale mission college in Changsha, China. He was the son of Rev. Joseph B. Seabury of Wellesley Hills, Mass., and had been a powerful factor in building up the Yale mission college. Mr. Mann was a son of Dr. Matthew D. Mann, '67, of Buffalo, N. Y. He had been connected in China with St. John's college in Shanghai.

SINGS ON SCAFFOLD.

Negro Chants Hymn as He Goes to Death In Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, July 23.—Dowling Green a negro, was hanged here for the murder of his wife last August, whom he accused of infidelity.

Dowling was resigned and marched cheerfully to the scaffold singing, "In the Cross I Know I'm Anchored."

Death resulted almost instantly from a broken neck.

When on trial for his life Green insisted upon going on the witness stand and telling the jury the story of his crime despite the protests of his counsel, who had been appointed by the court to defend him. During the recital Green became very dramatic and, leaving the witness box, crawled along the courtroom floor to depict how he had stalked his victim and her alleged paramour.

After hearing the tale the jury required but twenty minutes to bring in a first degree verdict.

Seneca Falls Man on the Canal.

Albany, N. Y., July 30.—Superintendent F. C. Stevens of the state department of public works announced the appointment of Olin E. Emens of Seneca Falls as superintendent of repairs of the Cayuga and Seneca canal, in place of George Clark, whose resignation was requested by the superintendent recently on the ground of incompetency.

AN ARMY OF BEGGARS

Mendicants Here, There and Everywhere In China.

THE CHIEFS LIVE IN LUXURY

They Rule Over Their Forlorn Subjects Like a King and Have the Power of Life or Death—The Aristocratic Imperial Paupers.

In China beggars at once attract a stranger's attention. Around every corner, along canals and creeks, in market places, at the city gates, both outside and inside, and especially in the temple yards, there are beggars here, beggars there and beggars everywhere, and a more pitiable sight one cannot meet. Many of them are crippled or afflicted with leprousy and all are dressed literally in rags.

I made a trip in a houseboat to Soochow, moving through the numerous canals in the city and stopping when I wished to take a view. I landed by a clean, fresh painted, large yamen, spotlessly white, with blue black tiles on the roof, and placed my camera against the wall to photograph a big pagoda on the other side of the canal. The usual Chinese crowd soon came around me, and not a few beggars. I asked an intelligent young Chinaman through my interpreter who lived in this fine big mansion, so unusually well kept for a Chinese house. I was not a little astonished when I was told the beggar chief of Soochow.

This led me to make inquiry about the system of begging in China, which is wonderfully well organized under a scheme that works admirably and is of course very ancient, like all other institutions in the Middle Kingdom. The chief has a fine residence, concubines by the half dozen and very fine clothing, and he is seen in the best of society, but only where he is not known. As a mark of his dignity he moves about with a long stick, which is allowed him by the city authorities. He also has the power of life and death over his beggarly subjects and punishes all offenses committed by them.

The beggar chief is a regular attendant at the marriage ceremonies and funeral processions of private families, in order to get his pay for keeping away his hungry crowd of beggars, who otherwise would hinder the festival or procession in a disagreeable, noisy way. I was told that the beggar chief of Soochow has an income of about $15,000 a year. The billet of the one in Shanghai city is worth about $5,000. Most storekeepers have an agreement with the beggar chief to keep his staff away. They pay about $1 a year each, and in return for this trifling amount the chief gives a printed receipt to the storekeeper, which the latter pastes on his door, to the effect that he has paid his tax and is exempt from the demands of beggars.

There are different kinds of beggars. Imperial beggars, or lao yen ting (the words mean "old man's button") have probably no parallel in the world, as some of them are descendants of the ancient Ming dynasty or distinctly related to the present reigning imperial house. They are scattered all over the country, are said to number upward of 10,000 and are specially numerous in Peking. Imperial beggars are easily recognized because they are allowed to wear garments of the imperial yellow of different shades. Characters are painted in black on the back and front of their robes to denote their profession. They wear either a straw hat or a velvet cap ornamented with a brass button.

When first I saw them I took them to be old degraded officials, for there are hundreds of them in Soochow. They carry a wooden bell in their hands to announce their arrival. As a rule they are over sixty years of age and have no family to support them, and they are all allowed to beg for more money than the ordinary craft and are furnished with a license from the magistrate. They are, of course, too aristocratic to be under the rule of the ordinary beggar chief.

In Nankin there is quite a select company of them, the order having been instituted as far back as the Ming dynasty. Hung Wu, the founder of the Ming dynasty, was once a beggar himself. The rise from beggar to emperor probably beats the record of any dynasty in Europe. In pious remembrance of his former profession Hung Wu instituted this order. At present they live in certain caves or recesses that are made in the city wall. The largest of these recesses is forty feet long by twenty feet wide; the inmates are very comfortably lodged and are decently dressed, but they are addicted to opium smoking.

Besides seeking alms these imperial beggars go about the country and obtain a livelihood by swearing false oaths in court. Their oaths are considered as binding and sacred, so they are often much sought after, because for a few taels one can get such a beggar to swear to an oath which always decides the case. The magistrates are liable to pay the imperial beggars an allowance every year, but it is said they often forget it, as they know well that these beggars are not in want.—Gentleman's Magazine.

Trenton Asylum Medical Director Out.

Trenton, N. J., July 30.—Acting on the demand of Governor Stokes, the board of managers of the New Jersey State Hospital For the Insane dismissed summarily Dr. John W. Ward, the medical director and head of the institution. The doctor had testified before the assembly investigating committee that Enoch Silvers, a lunatic from Trenton, had been beaten to death by two attendants in February, 1906, and that he not only had permitted the slayers of the patient to escape punishment, but also had failed to report the crime to the police.

The Scrap Book

In Boston.

Boston has some famous family names, in which the city in general and the possessors of the names in particular take a proper pride. Two such surnames are Cabot and Hallowell. A young Hallowell went to visit a young Cabot. When put to bed by his hostess he thus began his evening prayer, "Our father, who art in heaven, Cabot be thy name." Being asked why he varied from the common form, the innocent replied: "At home I always say, 'Hallowell be thy name,' but I thought it more polite here to say Cabot."—Judge.

A BOY'S MOTHER.

My mother, she's so good to me.
Ef I was good as I could be,
I couldn't be as good. No, sir;
Can't any boy be good as her!

She loves me when I am glad or mad,
She loves me when I'm good or bad,
An' what's the funniest thing, she says
She loves me when she punishes.

I don't like her to punish me.
That don't hurt, but it hurts to see
Her cry. Nen I cry, an' nen
We both cry an' be good again.

She loves me when she cuts and sews
My little coat and Sunday clothes.
An' when my pa comes home to tea
She loves him 'most as much as me.

She laughs an' tells him all I said
An' grabs me up an' pats my head,
An' I hug her an' hug my pa
An' love him purt' nigh much as ma.
—James Whitcomb Riley.

A Bashful Young Man.

He called on a young lady recently to spend the evening and when he got ready to leave he realized that a heavy rain was falling. He had no umbrella or rubber coat and when the girl's father asked him to remain at the house he readily consented. The next morning when he was invited to a seat at the table he very reluctantly accepted. He was very nervous and agitated. He sat opposite a mirror and discovered that he had forgotten to comb his hair. Then he dropped his fork on the floor and as he stooped to pick it up he upset his coffee. Matters went from bad to worse until finally in despair the young man quit eating and put his hands under the table. The loose end of the table cloth was lying in his lap and when he touched it he turned pale. He thought it was his shirt and that in his nervous excitement when dressing he had forgot to put the garment inside his trousers. That accounted for the smiles and embarrassment. There was no time to lose. He hurriedly stuffed the supposed shirt into his trousers.

Ten minutes later when the family arose from the table there was a crash. The dishes lay in a broken mass upon the floor. The young man pulled three feet of table cloth out of his pants and fled through the back door. He is yet in the woods back of his home.—Jackson County Argus.

Wouldn't Have Been Strange.

Two women were strangers to each other at a reception. After a few moments' desultory talk the first said rather querulously:

"I don't know what's the matter with that tall blond gentleman over there. He was so attentive awhile ago, but he won't look at me now."

"Perhaps," said the other, "he saw me come in. He's my husband."—Ladies' Home Journal.

That Settled It.

A story is told of a very popular cavalry officer. He was being tried for drunkenness, and among other witnesses on his behalf was his Irish soldier servant.

The court, anxious to give the officer every chance, put several questions to this witness with a view to eliciting any facts that might be in his master's favor.

When the Irishman said that his master, on going to bed, had expressed a wish to be called early, the court was distinctly pleased. A man who gave special instructions to be called early could not, they argued to themselves, have been drunk.

Hoping to get favorable particulars, they put a further question.

"And why did Major —— wish to be called early?"

Then, "Faith, an' he tould me it was because he was to be queen of the May," promptly came the answer.

That settled it.—Baltimore Telegram.

Summer Muff Queen's Fad.

London, July 30.—The queen has set a new fashion, which, it is said, is likely to become one of the most popular fancies of the year. This is the summer muff, a dainty trifle made of flowers, feathers and chiffon or tulle, which must match the wearer's toque and ruffle. Besides being declared artistic, the summer muff will be a boon to the wearers of pocketless gowns, as it is fitted with a pocket large enough to hold a handkerchief and purse.

Won't Let Pettibone Out.

Boise, Ida., July 30.—Formal application was made in the district court to have George A. Pettibone admitted to bail. The motion was submitted without argument and was promptly denied by Judge Wood. Charles H. Moyer's bond for $25,000 was signed by Timothy Reagan, president of the First National bank of Boise. The bond is guaranteed by $25,000 cash on deposit by the Butte (Mont.) local of the Western Federation of Miners.

Angel Child Not Going on Stage.

New York, July 30.—The following signed statement was made by Harry K. Thaw at the Tombs regarding the report that his wife purposed returning to the stage: "This story, like many others, is absolutely false and has been started, I believe, for one of two reasons—either to give a false impression of my wife's character and steadfastness with cowardly intent of injuring us all or simply to fill space."

STRANGLERS AT WORK

Two Women Killed by Awful Fiends In New York.

ONE CHOKED WITH NECKTIE.

Other Found In Areaway Terribly Mutilated—First Is Identified as a Tonawanda Girl—Second Victim Was Probably a Chorus Girl.

New York, July 30.—The body of the young woman strangled to death with a necktie in a furnished room house at 475 West Twenty-second street was identified as that of Mrs. Sophie Kohler of Tonawanda, N. Y.

This identification led the police so close to the murderer that they said they would have him within a few hours.

In Jersey City she lived as the wife of a man named Williams at 349 Communipaw avenue until a month ago, when she went to the furnished room house of Mrs. Gussie Boyd, 147 East Twenty-seventh street, Manhattan, as Miss May Graham.

She was seen frequently to meet a man whom the police believe to be Charles Davis or Davidson, accused of the murder.

Within a few hours after the discovery of this murder another girl was found strangled to death in the areaway of 204 East Ninetieth street.

In the second case the victim, whose shoes were of the make worn by members of "The Whirl of the Town" theatrical company, it is said, after being strangled to death, was slashed by a man with a knife after the ripper fashion.

No clew to the identity of this victim was found beyond the words "Whirl of the Town" in her shoes, from which it is inferred that she was a chorus girl. The woman's clothes were neat, but not costly.

Buried In Pie.

Long Branch, N. J., July 30.—Buried in pie, Henry Huber was severely hurt. Henry was driving a bread and pie wagon when his horse ran away and upset the vehicle. Great baskets of pie fell on the man and pinioned him down, the adamantine crust bruising him severely. Many summer cottagers saw the accident. They were extremely sympathetic, for they said they knew how serious it was to come in contact with Long Branch pie.

To Keep Out Japanese Coolies.

Washington, July 30.—The state department has taken up with Mexico the subject of immigration of Japanese coolies into the United States across the Mexican border. The practice of thus bringing in this undesirable and forbidden element has assumed alarming proportions, and the inspectors of the immigration service are being taxed beyond their abilities to discover and turn back such Japanese.

Put Baby on Redhot Stove.

Syracuse, N. Y., July 30.—A special to the Herald from Oswego says that a drunken Pole, a stranger in this city, entered the home of Charles Leonard, 238 East Second street, about noon, took a seven-months-old baby from a crib where it was sleeping and placed it on a redhot kitchen stove. The cries of the child brought the mother, who had left the house for a minute. The police were called and the man arrested. The baby was badly burned.

Beaten With John D.'s Clubs.

New York, July 30.—A warrant has been sworn out by Mrs. Stephen McGregor, wife of John D. Rockefeller's caddy of former years, for the arrest of her husband. Mrs. McGregor asserts that her husband had used her head for a golf ball, and that he hit her with brassy, niblick, putter and driver that had once belonged to the oil king.

Pat Crowe Has a Genuine Kick.

Chicago, July 30.—Pat Crowe of kidnaping fame has taken measures to stop a man impersonating him in London and who, according to cablegrams, claims to have reformed. "I have not reformed," said Crowe. "I don't read the Bible and I still drink. I mind my own business." Crowe said the man is named Johnson.

MAJOR HUNTINGTON DEAD.

Condition of Two Shot by Henry Huntington Critical.

Versailles, July 30.—The funeral of Major Henry Alonzo Huntington, who died at his residence here still unaware of the murderous attack made Sunday night by his son Henry upon his two brothers and two sisters, will take place next Thursday at the English church. The body will be placed temporarily in a vault and later interred in some French cemetery. It will not be sent to the United States.

Alonzo Huntington, who was shot through the lung by his brother Henry Sunday night, is still in a precarious condition. The bullet, after penetrating the lung, lodged near the heart and has not been extracted. Edith Huntington's condition is still serious, although there is no danger. Mrs. Huntington, mother of the children, is still completely prostrated.

Henry Huntington was examined by a doctor and found talking at random. The examining magistrate, M. Hirsch, has decided to postpone the investigation regarding Henry's sanity until after the funeral of his father. The magistrate declined to permit the correspondents to see the prisoner today on the ground that in his present condition he was not responsible for what he said. Henry's wife told the correspondents that he had engaged Maitre Labori, one of the best known criminal lawyers in Paris, to defend her husband. She said his defense would be provocation and that she was going to Chateau Thiery, her summer home, to procure certain menacing letters written and sent to her husband by his two brothers and his sister Edith.

TO WED GRANT'S GRANDSON.

Secretary Root's Daughter Will Marry U. S. Grant 3d.

Washington, July 30.—Society here is deeply interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Edith Root, only daughter of the secretary of state, to Lieutenant Ulysses S. Grant 3d, son of Major General Frederick D. Grant. The wedding date is not fixed, but will probably be the coming fall.

U. S. GRANT 3D.

Lieutenant Grant became acquainted with Miss Root while he was serving as military aid at the White House. Miss Root, though she has shown no deep interest in society, is widely known here and in New York. She has traveled extensively, is an accomplished linguist and a splendid horsewoman. Lieutenant Grant's mother was Miss Honore of Louisville, a sister of Mrs. Potter Palmer.

Vardaman Has a Narrow Escape.

Newton, Miss., July 30.—A weak coupling pin stood between Governor Vardaman and death when his train crashed head on into a switch engine in the Mobile, Jackson and Kansas City railroad yards here. Had the connection not broken six coaches, containing seventy-five passengers, would have been hurled down a fifty foot embankment. The governor sustained a dislocated shoulder.

One Coal Company Answers.

Philadelphia, July 30.—So far only one corporation, the Temple Iron company, has entered appearance in the suit of the United States government against the so called anthracite coal trust, which was begun June 12. The defendants have until next Monday to make appearance and until the middle of September to answer the government's charges.

Made $750,000 by Forgery.

Canon City, Colo., July 30.—Charles B. Hogge, alias Benton, pleaded guilty to forging a check on a bank at Florence, Colo., and was sentenced to the penitentiary for ten to fourteen years. Hogge told the court that he had practiced forgery for fifteen years and had secured more than $750,000 during that time.

Prescott, Ariz., July 30.—It is said that Thomas W. Lawson of Boston has purchased the plant of the Arizona Smelting company in this county. The deal, which has just been consummated, is said to involve several million dollars and to carry control of many mines in this section.

Administrator's Sale

Entire Stock and Fixtures

CLARK B. PORTER.

PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT :—

The firm of E. DREYFUS & CO., Wholesale Drug Auctioneers, of New York city, have been instructed to dispose of the large wholesale stock and fixtures of the late CLARK B. PORTER, corner Main and Poplar streets, South end Ward House, Towanda, Pa.

We will offer to the trade handling the following goods a discount of 10 to 30 per cent. from current wholesale prices:

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, SPORTING GOODS, STATIONERY, CUT GLASS, IMPORTED CHINA CIGARS AND TOBACCOS, WINES AND LIQUORS, PAINTS, OILS, (Masury) WINDOW GLASS AND MATERIALS.

As it is imperative that the above stock must be disposed of during the next 10 days, you are requested to call and select your choice at the earliest opportunity.

Good will be sold at retail (excepting drugs and medicines) at 25 to 50 per cent. reduction from former prices.

E. DREYFUS & CO.

By order A. SCHAAP & SONS.

MARTOOGESIAN HELD.

Armenian Priest Is Charged With Hunchakism.

WITNESSES RELATE THREATS

New York Authorities Believe They Are on the Track of Dreaded Secret Society—Grisly Calendar Found In Armenian Cafe.

New York, July 30.—Levont Martoogesian, the Armenian priest, was arraigned in the Tombs police court on a charge of attempted robbery and held for further examination. According to charges made in court he had demanded anywhere from $500 to $100,000 from Armenian merchants under penalty of death if they failed to accede to his demands. Three complainants were on hand to tell how he had demanded $25,000 each from them, and Assistant District Attorney Manley made the statement that the clergyman had tried to get $100,000 in a single instance.

Martoogesian was remanded to the custody of Inspector McCafferty for forty-eight hours, and Magistrate Cornell fixed bail at $10,000.

Father Levont was arrested as he sat dining in the Ararat cafe, at 154 East Twenty-seventh street, said to be the headquarters of the New Hunchakist society. In the cafe was found a calendar of significant design.

A Little "Reminder."

On it were pictured the heads of three Armenians who have been assassinated—Mikho, the Boston editor; Chitjian, the New York merchant who was trailed to Odessa four years ago and killed after he was horribly tortured, and Shiranian, who was also killed abroad.

Three hearts, in each of which a dagger is sticking, are shown under the heads. Blood is flowing from the wounds.

The calendar is said to have been designed to remind Armenians on whom calls for money might be made that it is dangerous to refuse payment to the blackmailers.

SMOTHERED IN GRAIN BIN.

Two Little Children Victims of Trick Played on Grandma.

Winsted, Conn., July 30. — Frank Prior, eight years, and his big sister, Etta Agnes, ten years, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Henry Pease, at Windsor. Frank and Etta, children of Frank N. Prior, who lives at Windsor, too, had a mighty fine time, as every child does who goes to see its grandma.

They were playing in the Pease barn in the afternoon and saw Mrs. Pease coming to the barn. They knew instinctively she would tell them it was time to go home, so they hid in the grain bin, which is only two feet wide and three feet high. When they let the lid down the clasp fell over the staple, and both were smothered.

Terrapin Dives Into Club Pool.

St. Louis, Mo., July 30.—A sea terrapin four feet long and weighing 350 pounds escaped from an elevator on its way to the kitchen in the Missouri Athletic club and dived into the swimming pool. Assistant City Attorney Mortimer B. Levy and four other men who were swimming in the pool beat all records in getting to the opposite end and scrambling out of biting distance of the terrapin. It required two hours to get the terrapin to the surface, lasso him and drag him out.

Gates Gone.

New York, July 30.—John W. Gates, accompanied by Mrs. Gates, his son, Charles G. Gates, and the latter's wife, sailed on the Cunard line steamer Caronia to remain abroad about three months. From Liverpool the little party will go to the estate recently purchased by John W. Gates—Sandicourt, at Beauvais, near Paris. This estate formerly belonged to the Marquis of Beauvais. Later the party will tour Europe in automobiles.

Jacob Riis Weds His Secretary.

Ipswich, Mass., July 30.—Jacob A. Riis, the well known author and settlement worker, was married here to Miss Mary A. Phillips, who for some time has served as Mr. Riis' secretary. The ceremony was performed privately at the Ascension Memorial church by the rector, the Rev. Reginald Pearce. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and the young son of Mr. Riis were present.

Explosion on Gunboat Wilmington.

Washington, July 30.—A dispatch received at the navy department from Commander Boush of the gunboat Wilmington at Shanghai says a boiler tube of the vessel burst while the vessel was at Nanking. Three men were scalded, one of whom, Fireman Philip Hind, subsequently died. The other two were not seriously burned.

Man Afire on Top of Train.

York, Pa., July 30.—Charles Bradley, thirty-five, met death while stealing a ride on a Lehigh Valley freight train. His clothing ignited from a spark of the locomotive. He was seen to run along the top of the train with his clothing ablaze until he was blinded and exhausted. Then he fell between two of the cars and was killed.

Pure Blood is a Defense,

it means safety. A person whose blood is in an impure and impoverished condition is in the greatest danger of catching any infectious or epidemic disease. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the mildest, safest and surest purifier of the blood, thus striking at the root of Kidney, Liver and Bladder diseases. $1.00 at all druggists.

Onions should be eaten more than they are simply because of their value as a system regulator and renovator.

It is as often what he has on his mind as what he puts into his stomach that tends to give a fellow the dyspepsia.

The sooner the green shoots which start from the trunk and branches of the orchard trees are removed the more easily is the job done.

We have known of folks whose aesthetic sense was quite fully expressed in the putting of a three dollar frame around a thirty cent picture.

Kindness and unselfishness are the fundamental elements of any religion which is worthy of the name. Without them it is but husks and mockery.

There is no plant which does a bigger business on a smaller capital than the Hubbard squash, its root and leaf systems having seemingly no proper correspondence.

When mosquito netting can be bought at from 8 to 10 cents a yard there is little excuse for having the house overrun with insect pests during the summer season.

If moss grows on the roof and snails would find a moist roosting place on the door knobs, it is a sign that some vigorous work ought to be done with an ax and saw on the trees surrounding the house.

A wire screen placed on the soft water barrel will remove a very prolific mosquito breeding place from the vicinity of the house and at the same time make the supply of soft water a good deal cleaner.

Chicken eating cats and egg sucking dogs are equal nuisances from the standpoint of the poultryman, and neither one should be harbored in a civilized community. If they can't be taught the error of their ways a dose of chloroform for them is the only way out.

A spoonful of a mixture of equal weights of salt, saltpeter and charcoal fed twice a day in a ration of bran will tend to satisfy the hankering dairy cows and stock animals have for straw which has been soaked with horse voidings.

A shallow pan of water placed in a shady spot on the lawn will be greatly appreciated by the robins and other birds which may nest about the place and also furnish the members of the household amusement when it is used by the birds as a bathing place.

We heard once of a family who sold the kitchen stove in order that all hands might go to the circus. This is putting the Scripture injunction "Take no thought for the morrow" to the test with a vengeance. There's nothing that can be done for this type.

It is a credit to American life and religious and social ideals that, as a rule, the finest and largest buildings in most of the towns of the land are the schoolhouses and churches. Where they are not there is usually something fundamentally the matter with the community.

A few drops of oil of pennyroyal put on a handkerchief or other cloth and the same rubbed over the exposed portions of the head and hands will keep mosquitoes away. While we have seen this tried, we are of the opinion that for some people the odor of the pennyroyal would be about as disagreeable as the bite of the mosquitoes.

In Germany and France and one or two other European countries the family horse, instead of being turned out to pasture at the age of twenty to pass the closing year or two of life in quiet, fares just as old boss does in this country—is turned into toothsome sausages and dried beef for the consumption of the common people and thus rounds out a full and useful existence.

While the surface cultivator is apparently a very simple farm tool, success or failure in the use of it is more dependent upon knowing how to properly adjust the knives than any other single thing. We know many who wouldn't think of farming without one and others who have not learned how to operate it who wouldn't take one as a gift. The best plan is to profit by the experience of a neighbor who has one of the machines in successful operation.

As a result of efforts which have been put forth by the federal department of agriculture along the line of introducing the cultivation of the camphor tree several camphor plantations have been started in southern and western states. One firm in Florida has a grove of 2,000 acres, from which in the near future it hopes to produce its own supply of camphor, its consumption of the gum being about 500,000 pounds annually. Should this camphor growing enterprise prove all that its sponsors hope for it will furnish but another evidence of the utility of the work which the department of agriculture is trying to do.

A VALUABLE POULTRY TREATISE

Farmers' bulletin No. 83, on poultry management, which may be secured by sending to the agricultural department at Washington or by applying to one's representative in congress, is a concise and valuable treatise on the various phases of poultry raising. It is a compendium of useful poultry information and is written in such shape that it is readily understood. The different breeds of poultry and their points of excellence are discussed, plans and specifications given of model poultry houses, and all the recognized poultry diseases are treated and best known preventives and remedies discussed. Every poultry raiser should have a copy of the bulletin and should keep it where he could refer to it frequently.

The cost of laying a single lead of tile across an acre of land, approximately a distance of 12.6 rods, will run from $10 to $15, or just about what a bumper crop of corn raised on the acre would fetch. The first year's crop can usually be counted upon to pay for the improvement.

When one has not had experience with either sheep or poultry it is advisable in both cases to start on a small scale, increasing the flocks as experience is acquired. If the lines mentioned do not prove profitable on a small scale it is hardly to be expected that they will pay on a large one.

The burning of wool and allowing the fumes to penetrate a wound is said to be a preventive of a development of tetanus, or lockjaw. A precaution that is perhaps better established in medical practice than this is to keep a bruise or wound open until the services of a competent physician can be secured.

He has made a decided step ahead in the matter of both agricultural theory and practice who has come to a realization of the place of a flock of sheep on the American farm. They are consumers of waste and money makers and may usually be taken as the index of a successful and progressive type of agriculture.

In the minds of many the testing of seed corn, as well as the securing butter fat records of individuals of the dairy herd, takes too much time. An inspection of their cornfields and a size-up of their bank account usually furnish about all the argument which is needed to disprove the correctness of the views held by these folk.

We have observed cases of parental discipline where the only reason for punishment seemed to be that the parent was punished for like offenses in youth, and this was the only method which offered for him to get even. The atmosphere which is likely to exist under such circumstances is seldom conducive to either respect or obedience.

The presence of yellow mustard in the oat field is prima facie evidence of a villainous system of crop rotation in which flax is a feature or a shiftless system of management in which the seed oats are not cleaned. A recent trip in a not distant section of the writer's home state showed many fields in which it did not seem clear whether mustard or oats was the crop in view.

Not long since a mother coon and five little ones were taken from a manger in a deserted stable not far from where the writer lives. The mother was caught by the nape of the neck with a big pair of blacksmith's tongs, while the little ones were as naked as baby rats and had not yet got their eyes open. It is unusual for the coon to rear her young so near man's habitation.

The economic status of the average American farmer respecting the question of hired help would be materially simplified were he just now working a half or less of the land which he now has on his hands. While abundance of help and the introduction of labor saving machinery may improve conditions somewhat, the better working of a less number of acres is really what is most needed.

There is no virtue in doing things the hardest way or in putting up with weariness and discomfort when one can just as well avoid them. A stool for use in doing kitchen work, at which one ordinarily stands; a pair of leather gloves for the roughest work on the farm and a sunshade for the corn plow not only save strength and add comfort, but are evidence that the owner is possessed of good horse sense.

In all too many states the law relative to the cutting of the highway weeds does not require the job to be done until most of the common weeds have matured a lusty crop of seed. Two cuttings, one about the middle of July and a second about the 1st of September, would prove a far better arrangement. If but one cutting could be given, better results would be secured if it were done somewhat earlier than the law usually provides.

The Maine experiment station has undertaken a forestry experiment in co-operation with the forestry division of the United States department of agriculture. A tract of five acres is to be devoted to the experiment, the purpose of which is to determine those trees which are best adapted to soil and climatic conditions to be found in the state. Not only indigenous trees, but varieties growing elsewhere, will be included in the experiment. The best methods of nursery practice—raising trees from the seed, thinning and pruning—will be given special attention. It would be of practical value if a like experiment were to be conducted by other states, especially in view of the co-operation which the federal forest service is more than willing to extend.

TWO LANDLORDS.

Quite naturally there are two kinds or types of landlords, just as there are two types of hired men or tenants whose services one may secure. We know a couple of landlords who exemplify in important respects the types above referred to. Both men possess good characters, are kind hearted and are possessed of strict honesty and integrity. The one, the type we would commend, is up to date in the matter of the methods which he wishes to have followed in the conduct of his farms. He has not only provided ample and comfortable buildings for the shelter and housing of the stock on the farm, but is ready to co-operate with his tenant in the purchase of machinery and tools whereby the work may be more easily and effectively done. He believes that pure breds are more profitable than scrubs and aids his tenant in working out this theory also. Although doing none of the manual labor himself, he reads the best agricultural magazines he can get and sees that his tenant has opportunity to do the same.

During the winter months both attend the sessions of the county institute, where they come in touch with the latest ideas on agricultural methods. The other man is just as moral and respectable, but is old fogyish and conservative. Brought up under circumstances which demanded the exercise of a rigid economy, it has become second nature to him, and he is at present, to all intents and purposes, a tightwad, begrudging the expenditure of every cent for improvements in buildings or machinery which would aid in the proper care of the stock and result in the doing of the farm work most advantageously. By some process of reasoning which is not at all clear he has figured out that it is cheaper to let the hay spoil in the mow than it is to invest a few dollars in shingles and repairs; more economical to lose dozens of little pigs than it is to make the hog house snug and warm; cheaper to have the farm stock tramping around through the corn and oat fields than it is to put some hard cash in good posts and tight fences. The constant wail of this man is that improvements cost so, he not seeming to realize that they are not half so expensive as getting along without them. While he may have had good tenants in the past, he cannot expect to keep them long, as they are likely to conclude that life is too short to work under such discouraging conditions. The tenants of the first landlord are enthusiastic and encouraged because they are doing their work under the best conditions obtainable, while the tenant of the second farm owner is downhearted and discouraged not only because of the loss which he himself suffers as a result of the rundown condition of things, but he also realizes that he cannot do as well as he would like for the man for whom he works. Landlords of the types mentioned are to be found in every community. It is a matter of congratulation that the latter class is somewhat in the minority.

A SAFE COURSE TO FOLLOW.

The question of the sale of adulterated grass seed can never be solved until the matter is taken out of the hands of the state and put under the control of the federal authorities. It is true that the state law is effective in so far as it covers seed offered for sale within the limits of the state, but its operation is futile when it comes to the sale of seed in the state by firms located outside. Until such a prohibitive law is passed by the national government those only will be on the safe side who reside in states where prohibitive laws touching the sale of adulterated grass seed already exist and who purchase of firms in the state.

Another precaution that it may be well to remember is that both the federal and state agricultural departments are in touch with firms which are reliable and also have the company of shyster seedsmen pretty well spotted, information which they will be glad to furnish inquirers free of charge.

THE PURPLE MARTIN.

A bird bulletin recently issued by the agricultural department at Washington is authority for the statement that the purple martin may often be got to take up its abode in a new location by moving the half grown birds with the old ones to the place desired. As a rule, the parent birds will stay with their young and care for them, but in case they should not do so the young ones may be easily reared by hand on a diet of meal worms, grasshoppers and other insects. In the estimate of the writer of this bulletin the purple martin is the most useful of the species to the agricultural and horticultural interests of the country.

In spite of careful spraying we notice this year more than any previous season blemishes on the young apples as a result of the work of the curculios. The crescent shaped scar which mars the surface, but does not injure the flesh of the apple, is discernible at a glance.

F. E. Trigg

OVERSHOT.

Mrs. Ellen Lynch has returned from spending a week at Antrim.

Mrs. Evans returned to her home in Corning on Saturday, after spending a few days with Mrs. James Dunn and other friends here.

Elery Strope of Towanda, is helping his son, Theodore, during haying.

Mrs. Edward Lynch of Towanda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn.

Thomas Sheridan and Lew Strope are doing James Devaney's haying.

John Patterson and Michael Regan were the first to finish haying in this neighborhood. Mr. Regan is helping Maurice Lynch put in his hay.

WYALUSING.

The Kings' Daughters of the M. E. church will picnic at Ellsworth's island Thursday.

Miss Grace Ellsworth, who has been spending some time at Elmira, Sayre and Athens, has returned home.

The Davis reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Josephine Lewis last Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Colclough of Elkland, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Newman last week.

Miss Elizabeth Strong gave a picnic at Frutchey's grove Monday. About 20 young ladies went. Mrs. William Strong of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. E. A. Strong of this place, were the chaperones.

The Eastern Bradford Choral society are planning to give the contata "Merry Milk Maids" during the week of the fair.

Miss Anna Fellbush of Towanda, visited Wyalusing friends the first of the week.

Misses Emily Cornell of Westfield, N. Y., and Blanche Smith of Orange, N. J., returned to their homes Wednesday after a week's visit with Miss Elizabeth Strong.

Miss Anna Hillis of Towanda, and Mrs. George Maxwell of Lodi, N. Y., visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lacey spent last week with Laceyville relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Snitcher are spending the month of August at Greenwich, N. J.

Charles Moyer of Philadelphia, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. A. H. Sinsabaugh.

Miss Jennie Hillis is visiting Lawton friends.

Miss Clara Stowell is spending a short time at Binghamton and Elmira.

The Pesbyterian Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at Ellsworth's island on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Willson spent Sunday with their daughter at Wilkes-Barre.

Fred Morris of Pittsburg, is visiting his brother, W. T. Morris.

ELWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Winslow of Waterbury, Conn., were visiting his sister, Mrs. Harvey Steele, a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rogers attended Sunday school at Hollenback Sunday and dined with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bahr.

Mrs. Wiliam Junk went to the hospital at Sayre Monday for treatment. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Celinda Steele.

Mrs. Nelson Pond of Colley, was the guest of Mrs. Barney Eberlin on Sunday.

Clark Steele was reaping grain for a few of the farmers at Hollenback last week with his reaper and binder.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hines of Endicott, N. Y., were visiting relatives here last week.

Miss Cora Jackson went on the excursion to Wilkes-Barre Sunday.

Charles S. Sweet, a former resident of this place, and a son of Mr and Mrs. Charles M. Sweet, was badly injured near Oneonta, N. Y., very recently. He was employed as a brakeman on a pickup train of the D. & H. railroad company. He left the train to change a switch and as he was climbing back on the steps at the side of the car he was thrown off and landed on one of the girders of a bridge. His face was badly cut and his hip injured. He was taken home and attended by Dr. Hendricks. Fortunately no no bones were broken.

CODDING.

Mrs. William Wright of Burlington, and Mr. and Mrs. Murry Schouten of this place spent Sunday at Webb Lane's at East Smithfield.

Mrs. Marie Jenner and Mrs. Hoagland of Troy, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Forrest of Manchester and H. L. McCelland and niece, Martha Hiney of Ulster, visited at G. W. McCelland's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Grace of North Towanda, spent the past week at their home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher of Oak Hill, visited his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Jay Wakely and daughter, Mable, spent Friday evening with friends at Bourne.

Miss Agnes Campbell of Ulster, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Noel Weed.

LUTHERS MILLS.

There will be a lawn festival at the home of M. M. Morgan Saturday evening, Aug. 3, for the benefit of the pastor. A cordial invitation to all.

Burt Gustin and Susie Rundall of Binghamton, spent a few days at this place last week.

Miron Allen and wife of Philadelphia, Lon Moore and wife and little son of Athens, were guests at G. Z. Lane's Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Loller of Monroeton will fill the pulpit at this place Aug. 4.

Jerusha Matthews and Pearl Mallory of Ulster, visited Blanche Lane one day last week.

Mrs. W. L. Taylor of North Towanda, was calling at M. M. Morgan's and H. D. Luther's Monday.

NORTH ORWELL.

The telephone men have quit work on the line for haying.

Leon Tyrrel, Floyd Tyrrell, Irvin Alger and Mrs. Leon Tyrrell and the Misses Emma Hill and Neva Tyrrell camped out at Carmalt Lake recently.

Leslie Tyrrell and friend called at V. M. Tyrrell's Sunday.

The ninth annual reunion of the descendants of Samuel Wilson, will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Sleeper at Warren Center, on Thursday, Aug. 29.

Miss Ruth Barber, who has been spending a month with Miss Helen Moore, has returned to her home in Scranton.

AUSTINVILLE.

Laura, only child of Treat Watkins, fell from a stone fence Sunday evening breaking her arm and dislocating her shoulder.

Rev. Ray Palmer and family of Philadelphia, are visiting his brother, Clair Palmer, and other friends.

Seth Crippen of Johnstown, is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Hulslander.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Watkins spent Sunday in Elmira.

Wiliam McKay of Springfield, spent part of last week with his son at the Austinville hotel.

The friends of Mrs. Arthur Andrus of Troy, will be glad to hear that she is much improved in health since she came to her daughter's, Mrs. Arthur Sweet's.

Miss Edith Slade is spending a few days at Charles Shaw's.

Fred W. Strait, a former resident of Mansfield and whose parents lived in this place years ago and who have a large number of relatives in this vicinity, died suddenly on Friday, July 19, at his home in East t. Louis, Ill. He was 30 years old and was highly respected by a large number of friends. He is survived by his parents, Mr and Mrs. C. L. Strait of East St. Louis, two brothers, Thad. B. of East St. Louis, and George L. of Mansfield, and one sister, Mrs. Dr. Thomas D. Farrer of DeLamar, Idaho. The funeral was held at their home on Sunday afternoon.

On Monday evening of last week Laura, the five-years-old granddaughter of Mrs. Mial Watkins, fell from the fence in front of her residence and fractured her arm and dislocated her elbow. Drs. Gustin and Bradford were called and dressed the injury. They pronounce it a bad fracture.

Jay Beardsley of Elmira, who is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Besley, in this place, has been quite ill the past week. Dr. Bradford is attending him.

The Odd Fellows' dance on Friday evening kas a grand success.

Mrs. Alonzo Crippen of Mansfield, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Will Hulslander.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Palmer of Philadelphia, are visitors at Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Paimer's.

The relatives and friends in this vicinity of W. B. Watkins of Johnstown, will regret to hear of the serious illness of his son, Ralph, with appendicitis. A late paper from that city states that he is improving and an operation will not be necessary.

LeRAYSVILLE.

Mrs. Elizabeth G. Beecher is visiting her son, L. J. Beecher at Hoadleys, Pa.

Russell P. Cook and sister, Miss Anna, of New York city, and Mrs. George R. West of Chicago, are in town, called here by the seriaus illness of their father, Dr. P. B. Cook.

Dr. Dewitt returned to Bradford, Conn., last week. His family will remain in LeRaysville during August.

Mrs. G. W. Durga and daughters, May and Pauline, are visiting at Dalton, Pa.

Commissioner L. H. Marsh and daughter, Frances of Wyalusing, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marsh.

Fred Morris of Baltimore, is spending his vacation at this place with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Morris.

SOUTH TOWANDA.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Depue and Mr. Hawthorn attended the Firemens' convention and visited Thomas Hawthorn at Galeton last week.

E. T. Bennett of Elmira, spent Sunday with his mother here.

Mrs. H. M. Bowman, Mrs. F. House and Miss Lena House of Sayre, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. Sarah Smith.

Miss Alline Thompson of Durell, is visiting her cousins, Misses Mabel and Edith Thompson.

Mrs. William Carl of Grover, visited her aunt, Mrs Mary Bennett on Wednesday.

Miss Mary Ackley is at Athens to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Bigler Harris.

Mrs. John Fausey and son, Newton, of Milton, visited friends here last week.

THINK TWICE.

It Will Repay Residents of Towanda to Follow This Citizen's Advice.

That good old adage "Think twice and act once," is brought to mind when one reads the followig account of the experience of a Towanda citizen. Mr. Goodenough made a public statement on the subject years ago and at this time repeats his former testimony with renewed emphasis:

O. D. Goodenough, mail carrier, rural route No. 1, living on York ave. road North of court house, Towanda, says: "Several years ago when employed at the Reporter-Journal office I gave for publication a statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills after I had procured them at Dr. H. C. Porter & Son's drug store, and they cured me of an attack of kidney complaint more than one of which annoyed me at intervals for over a year. I have no hesitation in re-endorsing that statement for I have had no reason to alter my opinion but on the contrary my appreciation of their curative powers has been strengthened. The cure they performed in my case has been permanent. During the years which have elapsed since my first experience with Doan's Kidney Pills I have not had to use any kidney medicine, and if there has been any backache it has been scarcely worth noticing. I am glad to speak a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills whenever I can."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

The great dollar weekly—The Reporter-Jounal.

TO BRIDGE BUILDERS.

Sealed proposals, endorsed with the title of the work to which they relate and the name and residence of the proposer, will be received by the

COMMISSIONERS OF BRADFORD COUNTY.

at the office of said Board, in the Court House, Towanda, Pa., at 2 o'clock p. m., Thursday, August 15, 1907, for building a highway bridge between North Towanda and Wysox Townships, at the end of James Street in North Towanda Township, Bradford County, Pa., in strict accordance with the plans and specifications, etc., on file in the office of said Commissioners.

Bidders must satisfy themselves by careful personal examination of the site of the structure, condition of the stream, foundations, erection over tracks of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, etc., of the work to be bid on and constructed.

Bidders must include in their proposal the supply of all material and labor of every kind necessary for the completion of the entire construction ready for public travel of this bridge, with the exception of the back filling and grading of the abutments.

Bids must be accompanied by a properly certified check in the sum of 10 per cent. of the amount of the bid, and made payable to the County Commissioners of Bradford County, Pa., which will be returned to the bidder unless forfeited as hereinafter provided. This check will be deposited with the Clerk of the County Commissioners in a separate open envelope for the examination by the proper County Official, at 10 o'clock a. m., Thursday, August 15, 1907.

Each bid must be signed by the bidder with the full name and address and placed in a separate sealed envelope, endorsed in plainly written words "Proposals for Highway Bridge Between North Towanda and Wysox Townships, at the End of James Street, North Towanda, Pa."

No bid will be allowed to be withdrawn after it is once deposited.

Bids received after the time set for their opening will not be considered.

All bids must be on blank forms obtained on application from the Clerk of the County Commissioners, and the prices of the bid must be stated in both words and figures, and all bids which are not in conformity with this notice will be rejected.

A bond will be required for the faithful performance of this contract in an amount equal to the contract price. The sureties of said bond shall be some Surety or Trust Company of Pennsylvania, or satisfactory individual surety by citizens of Pennsylvania, to be approved by the Board of Commissioners and their Attorney.

The contract must be signed and the bond furnished within ten (10) days (Sunday excepted) after the date of the notification by the Board of the acceptance of the proposal; and in case of failure of the successful bidder to execute the contract and to furnish the bond within said time, his proposal will be considered abandoned and the certified check deposited with the County Commissioners shall be forfeited the County of Bradford, State of Pennsylvania.

The Commissioners of Bradford County reserve the right to reject any and all bids should they deem it advisable to do so.

E. D. HARKNESS,
L. B. MARSH,
M. J. McNULTY,
Commissioners of Bradford County.
DAVID A. KEEFE, Engineer.
F. R. PRINCE, Clerk.
Towanda, Pa., July 24, 1907. 3t

The Markets.

The Market Reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week.

The Troy Markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

Prime Butter .....18 to 20c
Eggs 17c

General Markets.

New York, July 30.

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged; Minnesota patents, $5a5.35; winter patents, $4.40a4.90; winter straights, $4.25a4.45; winter extras, $3.10a3.70.

RYE FLOUR—Quiet; fair to good, $4.75a5; choice to fancy, $5.10a5.30.

WHEAT—Although wheat opened higher on firm continental cables, the pressure from bears, influenced by fine weather and increasing receipts, forced later a sharp decline; September, 99a99⅜c.; December, $1.02⅝a1.03; May, $1.06a1.06¼.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 93 to 95 score, per pound, 24½a25c. (Mercantile exchange official quotation, extras, 24c.); firsts, 23a24c.; seconds, 21a22c.; thirds, 20c.; state dairy tubs, fancy, 24c.; good to prime, 22a23c.; common to fair, 19a21c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, colored and white, small, best, 12½c.; large, colored, best, 12¼c.; white, 12c.; fair to good, 11a11¾c.; inferior, 8a10c.; light skims, 9c.; half skims, 7¾a8c.; part skims, prime, 6a6½c.; fair to good, 4½a5½c.; common, 2¼a4¼c.; full skims, 1a2c.

EGGS—Pennsylvania and nearby selected white, fancy, 25a26c.; good to choice, 22a24c.; brown and mixed, fancy, 22a24c.; fair to prime, 18a21c.; dirties, 8a12c.; checks, 6a10c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 6⅜c.; country, 6¼a6⅜c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 70a75c.; good to choice, $1.15a1.20.

STRAW—Steady at 55c.

BEANS—Steady; marrow, $2a2.05; medium, $1.65; peas, $1.70a1.72½; red kidney, $2.37½.

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 31a34c.

HOPS—Steady; state, common to choice, 1906, 14a16c.; 1905, 4½a5c.; Pacific coast, 1906, 8a11c.; 1905, 6a8c.

GLOSSER.

Mrs. Earl Smith is improving.

Miss Jessie Billings spent Sunday with her parents at Windham.

Dr. Conklin was called to see Mrs. Mart Payne, who is sick with stomach trouble.

Mrs. T. B. Cotton of West Sayre, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mercur Bidlack.

Reporter-Journal small ads bring buyers and sellers together.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Sylvia Hapeman, deceased, late of Ridgebury Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E. M. TUTON, Administrator.
July 26, 1907.—6t

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Olive A. Tracy, deceased, late of Smithfield, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E. G. KINGSLEY, Administrator.
East Smithfield, Pa., July 23, 1907. 6t

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Charles F. Whartenby, deceased, late of Monroe Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

EMELINE S. WHARTENBY, Executor.
July 22, 1907.—6t*

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Towanda Printing Co., for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, in Towanda, Pa., on Saturday, Aug. 3, 1907, between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock p. m.

WILLIAM LITTLE, Secretary.
Towanda, Pa., July 18, 1907.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of James E. Cooper, deceased, late of Warren township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are equested to mako immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JOSEPH F. COOPER, Executor.
June 24, 1907. 6t*

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Chester A. Burlingame, deceased, late of Smithfield Township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE N. BIRD, Administrator.
June 17, 1907. 6t*

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of James Fivie, deceased, late of East Smithfield, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E. M. TUTON, Executor.
June 15, 1907. 4t

Reporter-Journal Patterns

From the Latest

NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Double Box Plaited Skirt Designed by May Manton—No. 5706.

The double box plaited skirt is one of the later favorites and is so graceful and becoming that the fact of its popularity is easily accounted for. This one, with plain panels between the box plaits, is simple and easily made. It is of chiffon panama cloth, with braid applied on the panels only, but almost countless variations of trimming can be used, while also a plain hem stitched with belding silk is always correct. In fact, as much or as little elaboration can be employed as may be liked.

The skirt is made with plain narrow panels which are joined to the box plaited portions, and the plaits are stitched flat well below the hips, while they are only pressed into position below the stitchings. A choice is allowed of round or walking length.

The quantity of material required for the medium size is 13¼ yards 27, 10¾ yards 32 or 8¼ yards 44 inches wide if there is figure or nap; 12 yards 27, 9½ yards 32 or 6½ yards 44 inches wide if there is not, with 4½ yards of braid.

Sizes for 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inch waist.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING.

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 5706, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

FILL OUT THIS COUPON.

PATTERN DEPARTMENT REPORTER-JOURNAL,
TOWANDA, PA.

Enclosed find....cents for which send me Pattern as follows:

No. ..... Size .....

Name .....

Address .....

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Rev. O. Bessey was over from Rome Saturday.

Henry Shaw of Ulster, was in town Saturday.

Miss Katie Fitzgerald of Buffalo, is visiting Towanda relatives.

Justice of the Peace Lent of Burlington, was in Towanda Saturday.

Miss Lalia Mitchell Annabel of Waverly, spent Sunday in Towanda.

Miss Gertrude Waldo of Wyalusing, is visiting at J. B. Gay's, Pine street.

S. J. Little returned Saturday from a few days' business trip to Philadelphia.

Miss Marguerite Lewis has returned from a visit with friends in Elmira.

William Frazer of Laquin, was transacting business in Towanda Saturday.

Miss Katherine Lewis is visiting her aunt, Mrs. George Chamberlain, at Canton.

D. J. Sweet has returned from Elkins, W. Va., where he has lumber interests.

Miss Charlotte Lewis has returned from a visit at Saratoga and Binghamton.

C. R. Barnes of Sugar Run, was transacting business in Towanda on Monday.

Miss Helen Humphrey has returned from a visit with Miss Eliza Shaut in Sayre.

Misses Lena Gerould and Ethel Lewis are visiting friends in Williamsport.

Miss Lizzie Loetzer of Sayre, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gordon.

Morgan S. Kauffman, Esq., of Scranton, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kauffman.

Robert Waldo has returned to Wyalusing after spending a few days with friends in Towanda.

Miss Mabel Black of Washington, D. C., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Black.

Robert Kizer of Chatham, Ont., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Kizer, York avenue.

Lyman Spencer of Burlington, was in Towanda Saturday, en route to Sayre, to visit his brother.

Miss Catherine Bergen and Thomas Muir of Nanticoke, are guests at H. C. Passage's, York avenue.

Mrs. Jennie C. Richart and James Kester have returned from a visit with relatives in Wellsville, N. Y.

Mrs. John Dunfee has returned to her home in Monroeton, after a four weeks' visit with Towanda friends.

The Franklin Steamer was overhauled and repaired Saturday, after which it was given a thorough testing.

William Little, Esq., is in Washington, D. C. on business. He is accompanied by Master William H. Little.

H. F. Marsh, Esq., of Wellsboro, formerly of Towanda, came over in his auto Sunday and spent the day in town.

John Gay has returned to his home in Los Angeles, Cal., after spending a few days with his uncle, J. B. Gay, Pine street.

Mrs. C. T. Fox has returned to her home in Wayne, after spending several weeks with friends in Towanda and vicinity.

Rev. Mr. Hammond of the City Mission of Wheeling, W. Va., is spending two weeks of his vacation with Bradford county relatives.

Mrs. Benjamin Kuykendall, Jr., and Mrs. George Stevens and children, are spending the week at the Porter cottage, at Lake Wesauking.

Hon. E. Reed Myer has returned to the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. R. Foster, in Canton, after spending several weeks with relatives in Towanda.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Horton and child, and Mrs. W. B. Horton and daughter Katherine, all of Buffalo, are guests at M. E. Horton's, Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy H. Davies and children of Carlisle, are spending the week with the gentleman's parents, Hon. and Mrs. W. T. Davies, Second street.

J. K. Bush of Philadelphia, a number of years ago engaged in the clothing business in Towanda, is spending a few days in town renewing old friendships.

Miss Carrie McCabe of Rome, Miss Mary Goodwin and Wayne Irvine of Towanda, were guests of Miss Mary Howie of North Towanda, Saturday and Sunday.

A business necessity—the new Bradford County Directory, giving all town and R. F. D. addresses. Send subscriptions to Bradford County Directory Co., Towanda, Pa.

Miss Ethel Kililea of Syracuse, is spending a two weeks' vacation with her mother, Mrs. Olilla Kililea, State street. J. B. Edwards of Syracuse, is also spending a few days here.

Mrs. A. McCain of Denver, Col., and Mrs. C. Jamison and daughters of Wilmington, Del., spent Saturday at U. M. Fell's, York avenue, en route to New Albany, where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Loomis together with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hall of New York city, have returned from a delightful sojourn at Kerricks camp. During their season in camp the party caught 814 nice black bass.

Mrs. E. L. Mouillesseaux and son Harold, have returned to their home in Jersey City, after spending some time with relatives in Towanda. Miss Charlotte Mouillesseaux accompanied them and will spend a month there.

WELLS.

A social will be given at the church parlors at Gillett on Tuesday evening. Proceeds to apply on expenses of painting the parsonage.

Miss Anna Parsons of Elmira, is on a visit to a few of her friends here. She was a guest last week of Mrs. H. B. Cory, Mrs. Alonzo Brown and a few others.

Wesley Douglass had the misfortune to accidentally shoot the left thumb completely off his hand with a flobert rifle one evening last week. Young Douglass went about sundown to shoot some rabbits that were raising havoc with a field of grain near the barn, but in lieu of shooting game blew off his thumb instead. The wound is healing nicely.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Warner family will be held on Thursday, Aug. 15, at Ulysses Warner's in Wells. All relatives are cordially requested to make special effort to be present. Miss Bessie J. Baker, secretary; Ulysses Warner, president.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N. Balmer, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Welch and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Welch and Mr. and Mrs. Mason Oldroyd of this place, visited Mrs. Ellen Welch at Gillett, one day recently and all enjoyed a royal good time.

Mrs. Faburn of New York city, is visiting at Mrs. Frank Tillinghast's.

Alex D. Yeomans and bride of Rochester, Mrs. Faburn's nephew and niece are expected here soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo A. Clark and daughter, Miss Annie Clark, and son Lewis Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cummins and others from this region attended the funeral of Mr. Clark who died at Armenia last week, aged 91 years. The deceased is survived by three daughters and two sons, 16 grandchildren and five great-grand children. His wife died about 16 years ago. Alonzo Clark of this place, is a son of the deceased. The burial was made at Troy.

A hay loader set up for operation by Bert Roberts, on the Cook farm, is attracting the attention of many farmers near by.

Mrs. Judson Cummins and daughter of New York city, are visiting Mrs. Alonzo Brown and other friends hereabouts.

The whereabouts of Grant Culp are still unsolved to his numerous friends.

Teachers hired for coming term in Wells are as follows: Miss Daisy Tillinghast, principal of Wells graded school; Miss Ella Leary, primary room; Miss Lena Hakes, Mosherville; Miss Nellie Sullivan, Knapp's; Mrs. G. Knapp, Coryland; Tracy Everett, Judson Hill; Ellery Andrews, Wortendike. The other schools are not yet filled.

Mrs. C. F. Kiersted is still very ill.

George Bird went to Utica Saturday to join his wife and daughter, who are visiting his brother Jesse's family.

Mrs. S. Brigham spent last week with her son, Clarence Brigham, in Athens township. Miss Agnes Brigham accompanied her home.

Edwin Blakeslee is driving the R. F. D. No. 53, for a few days.

RIDGEBURY.

Miss Katherine Gibbs spent Saturday in Elmira.

Dewitt Tuttle of Elmira, visited at Wilmot Welliver's last week.

S. Killman, the calf buyer, of White House, N. J., was in town last week buying and shipping a carload from Wellsburg, Saturday.

Mrs. Estella Dubert and son Raymond of Big Pond, spent Sunday at P. A. Burnham's; also Archie Miller and wife of Elmira.

Miss Beatrice Hanlon was most pleasantly surprised by about 20 of her young friends Thursday evening, it being her 19th birthday.

Will Haggerty of Pine City, spent Sunday at A. R. Burnham's.

Charles Woodruff and wife of Chemung, Thad Squires and wife of the same place, spent Sunday at John Ayers's.

That Centerville is to have a graded school has been decided and to be located near James Colivell's. A committee will locate the building spot on Tuesday. It is to be a three-room house. Several small schools are to be abandoned on completion of the new building.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Roberts of Wellsburg, were Sunday visitors at Samuel Woodward's.

Robert Cain of Elmira, spent Saturday night with his parents.

Rev. J. Bell, wife and daughter of Greenwood, N. Y., visited at Dell Larrison's part of last week.

The contracts for drawing school children was let Saturday. Algy Sydney, the West school to Hanlon Hill; James Colwell the Larrison Grove to Centerville, John Stirtin the Baldwin school to Bentley Creek.

Badly Scalded.

On Thursday forenoon of last week an accident occurred at Brushville that was feared at the time would be a fatal one. Mrs. W. H. Allen was engaged in mopping the kitchen floor and in the room with her was her three years old daughter, Irene. The little one in playing around backed up against a pail of hot water and sat down in it. Her screams brought the mother to her aid at once and with presence of mind the little one's clothes were stripped off the body. Dr. Durga was called and did what could be done, and although the flesh was quite badly scalded it is not believed that any serious results will follow.—LeRaysville Times.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

Job Printing on short notice, at this office.

ON THE "MARY ANN"

Wyalusing Lanlubbers Having Big Time on the Susquehanna.

PICKED UP SOME TOWANDIANS

Annual Cruise of the Saucy One Is Proving Exciting and Eventful—Bunk Breaks Down With High Private Marsh.

On the Mary Ann En Route to the Valley, July 27, 1907.

The Mary Ann, a boat house, well known along the waters of the upper Susquehanna, is now on its annual cruise from Wyalusing to the valley, which will be reached by the latter part of the week, if no disaster occurs to craft or crew.

The boat 16x24, is constructed of two-inch planks, one layer crossing the others, the whole bound firmly together, rendering it not only non-sinkable, but practically non-destructible as well. A large oar is hung on each end of the craft to guide and keep the boat from running on dangerous rocks, frequently met along the channel, while pike poles are always kept in readiness for use when passing places of danger and peril. There is also a full equipment of bunks, chairs, tables and other comforts and conveniences, also music, games, literature and a larder filled with appetizing viands and the delicacies of the season, the latter in charge of a well known local chef.

The original Mary Ann was built and the initiatory trip made in 1888, since which the cruise has been made nearly each year, the enjoyment had, and the recreation afforded, giving the itinerary an increasing popularity. The day of sailing is an event and always calls a company of the town's people to the landing to see the craft move out from its moorings into the historic Susquehanna. This year was no exception and on Friday last, both ladies and gentlemen were present to give the crew many wishes for a bon voyage.

The log shows the following officers and crew: J. L. Ellsworth, captain; N. A. Welles, purser; L. C. Fuller, shipbuilder and pilot; D. O. Snyder, commissary supplies; D. L. Taylor, general factotum; H. Lamphire and sons, chefs; County Commissioner L. H. Marsh, high private; C. H. Fuller, ship's carpenter; Lincoln Sigler, common sailor; G. K. Robinson, common sailor; Fisher Welles, common sailor; Sayre Welles, common sailor.

The first day's sail was uneventful; high winds at times, a fair catch of fish, but no visible sea sickness. Anchored at Skinner's Eddy, the village nearly destroyed by flood in 1865. Instrumental and vocal music soothed the tired voyagers to sound sleep, from the silence of which all were suddenly awakened about midnight by a crash that seemed to make the gallant boat quiver from stem to stern. A hasty examination restored order, when it was discovered that the concussion was occasioned by the collapsing of the bunk of High Private Marsh.

The log for the second day describes high winds and reports finding dangerous hidden rocks, on one of which the Mary Ann was hung up for several hours. The catch of fish was limited, the crew is becoming bronzed, the larder shows considerable depletion, but fresh supplies of pure milk and fresh eggs can be had at the farm houses along the stream

At a treacherous point near Laceyville, the crew and passengers were startled by a cry for help, followed by a distress signal and the agonizing wail of "assist me, dear Mr. Cheney", "my feet are wet and cold," and "why did you, Rooker rock the boat," the saucy Mary Ann heaved to and came to a full stop, life boats were lowered and someone softly rendered on a mouth organ "Pull for the shore, sailor." A few minutes later Messrs. Cheney, Porter and Rooker, all of Towanda, were being looked after and fed by the commissary and entertainment departments and made as comfortable as possible under the extenuating and exciting circumstances.

A short run was made the second day and it being Saturday night, the crew needed a quiet day, hence it was decided to pass Sunday amid the picturesque surroundings of Black Walnut, nothing eventful occuring during the day.—Wilkes-Barre Record.

Missionary Convention.

The third annual convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance will be held in the grove at the school house at Homets Ferry, on Aug. 1 to 4. Services each afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, and each evening at 7:30, closing Sunday with three services, morning, afternoon, and evening. Rev. J. L. Potter of Roosevelt, L. I., Joseph Cunningham, returned missionary to China, and Miss Hastie of Avoca, will be present. From Aug. 4 to 11, the twelfth annual convention will be held at Laceyville. Able speakers will be present at each session.

NORTH ROME.

William Bidlack spent Sunday with friends at Trinket.

Miss Carrie Shores of Black, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her uncle, B. D. Stephenson, in this place.

Mr. Sartin and wife of Providence, R. I., are spending some time at John C. Forbes'.

Miss Lena Davidson of Ulster, spent Sunday at Myron Horton's.

Willie Vanduser of Litchfield, has moved his family to this place; he will assist Fred Robinson in his blacksmith shop.

ALFALFA IN BRADFORD COUNTY.

Six Tons to the Acre Raised in Granville Township.

The Troy Gazette-Register says: "One of our readers wagered $5 that our story about the runaway barrel on Pisgah wasn't true. He lost his five. We mention this in passing that no one shall wager that what is to follow is not true because it is.

"Every live farmer knows personally or has read about alfalfa. It is the principal forage crop of the West and South, and is slowly working its way East and North. The feeding value of good, well cured alfalfa hay is said by those who ought to know to equal bran, ton for ton. As pasturage for hogs, a big source of revenue to this section, it has no equal. It is confidently said that ten pigs per acre will gain 100 pounds each during the season from May to September, and 1,000 pounds of pork can not be produced so cheaply on any other kind of food. It differs from other clover in that it yields two or more crops a year and there is practically no limit to the life of the plant under favorable conditions of soil, climate and culture.

"For a number of years Leland May has been experimenting with alfalfa on the large Glenside Stock farm in Granville which he now owns, formerly known as the Innes place. His early efforts were not more successful perhaps than the trials of many others, but this year he is making good as few Pennsylvania farmers have done. He has two acres of alfalfa which he cut upon July 2. The yield was five good loads, estimated at a ton to the load. The second crop, which will be considerably heavier than the first, is already well under way, measuring fully eight inches. It will without question bring up the yield for two cuttings to five tons to the acre or better, possibly six tons. There may be a later cutting of a ton or two and still leave generous protection against Winter killing.

"Emery Andrews of Granville, has also had a successful experience with alfalfa following partial failure. He began six years ago with an eighth of an acre, and now has a fine stand of an acre and a half.

"Both Mr. May and Mr. Andrews feel that they have mastered the question in part at least of how to grow alfalfa on the hills of Western Bradford and both will increase their acreage.

"George Shepard of Granville, encouraged by the success of his neighbors, has again taken up this year the growing of afalfa. Others in the neighborhood have it in mind to try a small piece of afalfa next season.

"We glean from a government bulletin that alfalfa thrives best on a deep, sandy loam, underlaid by a loose permeable soil, which must be well drained and which if not sweet, that is, free from acidity, must be made so by sowing lime with a free hand. The unthinking have doubted the necessity of inoculating the soil, but success is much more frequent on soil that has been inoculated with the sweet clover or alfalfa bacteria than where inoculation is omitted as a scientific vagary. Dried cultures may be had free from Washington, or inoculation may be accomplished by broadcasting earth from an old alfalfa field or by fertilizing with droppings from altalfa fed stock. This last is considered one of the surest ways. Deep plowing and thorough preparation of the seed bed are also essential to success with this most interesting and valuable crop."

Visitors From the West.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kendall of Danbury, Neb., have been visiting his brothers, Robert and Henry Kendall, and other friends in Burlington and Athens. It has been 42 years since he, together with his bride, have visited his old home, and great was the changes. Father and mother, sisters and brothers have passed to the great beyond. Mr. Kendall is a war veteran, having served his country long and faithfully, and although 76 years of age he is athletic and suple, and enjoys perfect health, and last but not least, he is sufficiently endowed with this word's goods, so that with his devoted wife, he is now taking his ease and enjoying the profits of his labor.

OFF TO SOUTH POLE.

English Expedition Will Use Motor Car to Reach Goal.

London, July 30.—The Endurance, originally a Newfoundland sealing vessel of 227 tons, but which has been refitted as a steam barkentine, sailed down the Thames with the English south polar expedition, commanded by Lieutenant E. H. Shackleton, on board. Lieutenant Shackleton was a member of the Discovery antarctic expedition, under command of Captain Scott.

Winter quarters for twelve persons, with provisions for two years, will be established on King Edward VII. Land, and an attempt will be made to reach the south pole during the summer of 1908. The equipment on board the Endurance consists, among other things, of a motor car provided with different sets of runners for traveling over surfaces of varying softness, twelve Siberian ponies and twenty-four dogs.

Germans Confiscate Sinclair's Book.

Berlin, July 30.—Upton Sinclair's book, "The Industrial Republic," has been condemned to confiscation by the authorities as coming under the law regarding insults to the German emperor. The English and German expurgated edition in which the attack on the German aristocracy is omitted and also reference is made to "the degenerate who sits upon the throne" is included in the ban.

LAQUIN LAMJAMMED

Ulster Baseballists Get Even With Tall Timber Trimmists

BENEATH THE PINING PINES.

Laquin Ramsoggled Ulster Two Weeks Ago on Their Own Sod, and Now It Has Come to Pass That the Vanquished Are the Vanquishers.

And now it has come to pass that Ulster, the unusual users of the untamed, untanned and umpopo base balls, episootictackly speaking, have turned the tables on the linguistic Laquinites, threw them to the ground, hammered them down and put the Tuckoo on them by the dot of three to one.

Two weeks ago, if history does not prevaricate, Laquin took a day off, went to Ulster and there on the spreading acres didn't do anything, not a thing but ramsoggle Ulster 13 to 1. The Ulster team, the citizens and citizenesses of that beautiful little village, wept real weepy tears over the slaughter of their innocents by the fellers from the lumber town. Saturday Ulster hiked up to Laquin, and right square in the shade of the pining pines, just poked Laquin in the ribs three times and only got poked onct during the performance. Revenge was theirs, and the base ball historians will kindly remember and recollect that each of these two tall trimming teams have shoved down in their pockets a victory from the other.

Cranmer, that terrific tossist of the Ulster unity was responsible for the undoing of Laquin. He stood there in the middle of the diamond and shot shootings over the slab so swiftly that Laquin was lame in the stagger for safe kisslets. Perfect support, there not being an error behind him and the circus work of the infield was what did the diddings. Morrison behind the lunch counter grabbing the hot ones and snailing in those wide and weird was an elegant piece of back stop furniture for Cranmer's crammings.

Laquin was reinforced by Charley Meredith and Dunfee of Monroeton, but even with these two stalwarts they could not cut any curious capers, that is not curious and caslubrious enough to cop the Ulster aggregation. The features of the featurefest were the double plays of Cranmer to E. McQueen, to F. McQueen, and H. Matthews of F. McQueen. Those double plays were pulled off so quickly that nine married Laquin ladies were late in getting home for supper. Another feature of the game was the winning of $24 by a Towanda fan who went forth and backed Ulster against Laquin right on top of the lumber piles.

Here is the war map as it was staked out and drawn up and down in the shade of the tall trees:

Ulster.

	R	H	PO	E
H. Matthews, 2b....	0	1	1	0
Mallory, r. f.....	1	1	1	0
E. McQueen, 3b.....	0	1	0	0
F. McQueen, 1b....	0	1	11	0
Cranmer, p.....	1	2	1	0
G. Matthews, s. s...	1	0	1	0
Morrison, c.....	0	2	11	0
Lewis, c. f.....	0	0	0	0
Horton, l. f.....	0	1	1	0
Totals	3	10	27	0

Laquin.

	R	H	PO	E
A. Mull, 2b.....	1	1	0	0
L. Dunfee, 3b.....	0	0	2	1
E. Dunfee, l. f....	0	1	2	1
Meredith, 1b.....	0	0	12	1
Caldwell, r. f.....	0	2	2	0
Smith, s. s.....	0	0	2	1
Trowbridge, c. f....	0	0	0	0
Lilley, c.....	0	1	7	0
Rockwell, p.....	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	5	27	4

Summary.—Earned runs—Ulster, 3; Laquin, 0. Three-base hit—G. Matthews. Two-base hits—F. McQueen, S. Morrison. Struck out—By Cranmer, 11; by Rockwell, 6. Batteries—Laquin, Rockwell and Lilley. Ulster, Cranmer and Morrison.

Stamps on the High Places.

Denver, Colo., July 30.—On the top of Pike's peak, more than 14,000 feet above sea level, the leading organization of the stamp collectors of this country, the American Philatelic association, began its convention.

Kidney Disease Kills.

Thousands Never Suspect That They Have It.

It is now generally admitted that diseases of the kidneys and bladder constitute the greatest source of disease. Cure these and we remove the cause of nearly all ailments of the Liver, Blood, Stomach and Bowels. But the approach of Kidney disease is so sly and gradual that the first symptoms may not be noticed. Here are some of the most common symptoms of this dangerous disease:

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Pale, hot and dry skin.
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FAMILY REUNIONS.

Luther Reunion.

The descendants of Enoch and Polly Luther will hold their second annual reunion Saturday, Aug. 24, at the home of Hiram Luther at Luthers Mills. All members and friends of the family are cordially invited to attend. E. L. Luther, president, Mrs. M. M. Morgan, secretary.

Strong—Wells Reunion.

The descendants of Salmon C. Strong and Ruey Strong-Wells or any others related to the Strong family are requested to meet at the Wyalusing park, Aug. 16, for a first annual reunion. All who are willing are requested to furnish entertainment. Bring your own lunch.

Larcom Reunion.

The ninth annual Larcom reunion will be held at the home of E. F. Larcom, in Granville, on Wednesday, Aug. 28. All friends and relatives are invited and expected to be present to help make the day one of mutual profit and pleasure. E. F. Larcom, president.

Barnes Reunion.

The eighth annual reunion of the Barnes family will be held on Saturday, Sept. 7, in the orchard on the farm of A. Barnes, near Canton. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend. B. F. Barnes, president; Nellie F. Packard, secretary.

Eddy Reunion.

The eleventh annual reunion of the Eddy family will be held in Streevy's park at New Albany, Aug. 31. All relatives are requested to make a special effort to be present. A table dinner will be served. A literary program will be rendered. Meribah H. Eddy, secretary.

Stevens Reunion.

The descendants of Jonathan and Eleanor Adams Stevens will hold their annual reunion at the home of Joe Stevens, Macedonia, on Thursday, Aug. 8. All interested are cordially invited to attend and renew old acquaintances and have a general good time.

Riddell—Wood.

Miss Auleva Riddell, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knapp of Towanda, was united in marriage on July 16 at Elmira, to Curtis J. Wood of that city. Miss Riddell attended the Towanda public schools and has many friends here.

Saxton Reunion.

The fifteenth annual reunion of the Saxton family will be held at Granville Center, Thursday, Aug. 15. All who are willing are requested to furnish entertainment. Ruby H. Saxton, secretary; Charles Saxton, president.

Rogers Reunion.

The third annual Rogers reunion will be held at the home of Samuel Kuykendall at Windham, the third Wednesday in August. All relatives are cordially invited to attend. Mrs. Nancy Waite, secretary.

Brewster Reunion.

The seventh annual reunion of the descendants of Daniel and Roxanna Brewster will be held at the Casino, Endicott, N. Y., on Wednesday, Aug. 14. All descendants invited. W. A. Smith, secretary.

Brown Reunion.

The tenth annual reunion of the Brown family will be held at the home of H. D. Allen on Harmony Hill, Aug. 20. Let all try and be present. Secretary.

Hagar—Smith Family Reunion.

The tenth annual reunion of the Jonas Hagar, Sr., family will be held in Grange hall at Pembryn the last Wednesday in August. R E. Hagar, secretary.

Thomas—Becker.

The second annual reunion of the Thomas and Becker families will be held at the home of Thomas Scott, August 29. All relatives are requested to be present.

Bidlack Reunion.

The sixth annual reunion of the relatives of the Bidlack family will be held in P. L. Bidlack's grove, Ghent, on Thursday, Aug. 15.

Lenox-Head Reunion.

The fourteenth annual reunion of the Lenox-Head family will be held at McCarthy's grove, August 21, at Ulster.

Brooks Reunion.

The sixth annual reunion of the descendants of Joseph Brooks will be held in Canton, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rundell, on Aug. 23. All relatives are urged to attend. Ada Bailey Keir, secretary.

Bennett Reunion.

The third annual reunion of the Bennett families will be held in the hemlock grove at the old convent in Towanda, on Wednesday, Aug. 21. Mrs. Philip Bennett, secretary.

Reunion at Elmira.

The eighth annual reunion of the former students and graduates of the Mansfield State Normal school will be held in the form of a basket picnic in Grove park, Elmira, on Wednesday, Aug. 14.

Robinson Reunion.

The seventh annual reunion of the Robinson family will be held at the home of A. L. Robinson, South Hill, on Thursday, Aug. 15. G. W. Robinson, secretary.

Lewis and Mingos.

The eighth annual reunion of the Lewis and Mingos families will be held on the Bradford county fair grounds on Wednesday, Aug. 28. Bessie MacMorran, secretary.

Rockwell Reunion.

The seventeenth annual reunion of the descendants of Allen Rockwell will be held at Mountain Lake on Thursday, Aug. 15. C. C. Smith, secretary.

Is It Your Own Hair?

Do you pin your hat to your own hair? Can't do it? Haven't enough hair? It must be you do not know Ayer's Hair Vigor! Here's an introduction! May the acquaintance result in a heavy growth of rich, thick, glossy hair! Use this splendid hair-food, stop your falling hair, and get rid of your dandruff.

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FURNACE, good shape, andirons, oak wardrobe, garin bags, meat grinders, meat bench, kitchen tables, creamery butter boxes, garden and lawn tools, and other things too numerous to mention. 22 Main St., Towanda. jly18-4t

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GOOD working team, weight 2,300 lbs.; heavy and light harness, wagons of all kinds, mowing machine, hay rake, reaper and binder, and other farming tools; all nearly new. J. G. Kuhnle, R. F. D. No. 8, Towanda, Pa. 27june-tf

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NOTICE.

R. A. HENRY will open a blacksmithing and general repair shop at Monroeton, in the shop owned by W. M. Young, on Monday, Aug. 5 s8aug*

Hunting for Trouble.

"I've lived in California 20 years, and am still hunting for trouble in the way of burns, sores, wounds, boils, cuts, sprains, or a case of piles that Bucklen's Arnica Salve won't quickly cure," writes Charles Walters, of Alleghaney, Sierra Co. No use hunting, Mr. Walters; it cures every case. Guaranteed at Turner's Drug Store. 25c